



S R E G I T

1955

To a most
sweet girl
who I like a
lot. Bill
Kendall

Love always
+ Sylvia

the most
interesting
and beautiful
view of the
city from the
water.

Martha
You've got
God's love and
a wonderful person
so I know you'll
be happy. Stay just
you are and you'll
be a favorite of men

Matka-
 you've got what
 it takes to get
 ahead so keep going
 Even if you're not
 I love ya!
 Harrie

Lots of luck

Best of Luck
to a cute girl
& good tennis
player Karen Brown

Lots of luck
to a very, very,
very, very, very,
very, very, very,
~~very~~ semi-good
girl.

Eddie
Jock

630
 mother! the good luck
 to a very cute & very sweet
 and nice girl & with Ellie
 the very best of luck and
 happiness. a friend,
 Roy Harper

happened. a friend, going to
To a nice
you and hope
future
Eddie

P.S. Good luck in
 summer
 to you
 Bern
 Martha

Dear
a swell girl
and
wife got a
boy and
Giddy of
lots of
with him!
Charles Brantley

Dear Martha,
Here's hoping we
have fun in the
future and as much as we
have had. Best wishes and good
luck to a "clique" gal.

Love,
Sue Shepherd
Za

I, a friend who's a
world of fun.
Anne Steinheimer

To one of my
best friends
Love
Ann Currin

Dear Martha
you are a sweet
girl and a good
friend to everyone.
Davy Alford

Martha
Best of luck in the future.
Billy Timberlake

To Deborah
a nice
girl
Charles
Harris

Best luck to a
wonderful gal.
May all of your
dreams come true
Love
Deborah Harris

a swell gal with
whom I've enjoyed
being in the same
room with.
Love ya always,
Shirley White

Dear Martha,
All the luck in the
world to a very sweet
girl.

Love,
Paula
George

(Martha)
Good luck in
the future.
Carolyn Talley

Martha,
You are a cut
and nice girl.
Lots of luck.
(John Heath)

Do a good-looking blond with
a marvelous personality.
Carolyn

What a
beautiful
person
you are
and how
much I
love you

Martha,
 a very good friend and
 a small tennis player, if you'll
 play hard you'll be right up there with
 Marylon (and I'm not kidding) Hope you always
 remember me

Martha -
 you are a
 very sweet and
 cute girl. May
 you have the
 best of everything.
 Love always,
 Dale Jones

Ja
Martha
Lots of luck
always
to a cute
and sweet
Donna (Nutt)
Good luck
always
Mike

Eddie & I
 hope you
 have a good
 time!

Lots of luck always!
 Dale Jones

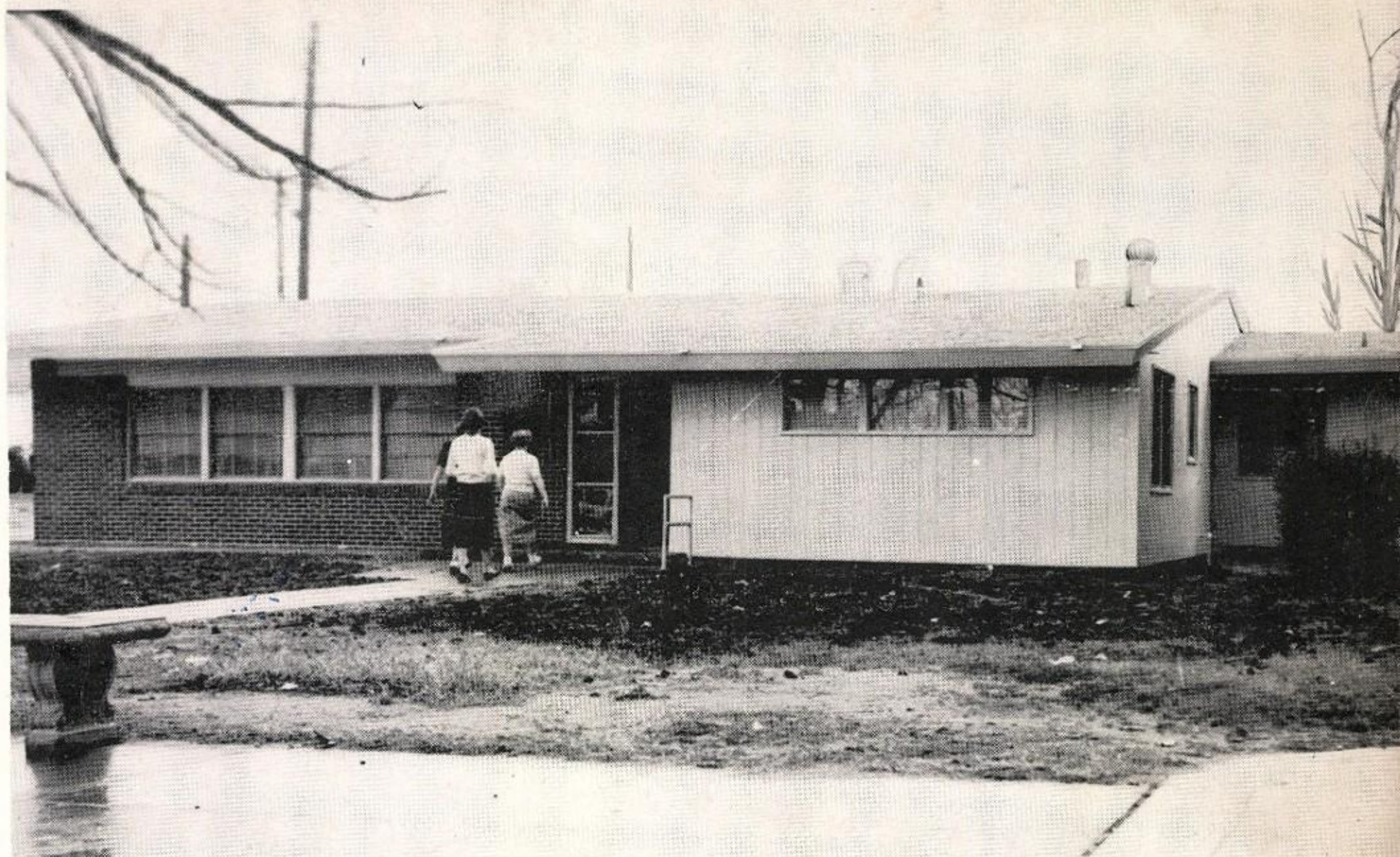
Martha -
 Best of everything
 to a small girl
 Curtis Shuler

I hope you
 have a good
 time in
 the new
 house

Dear Martha -
 you are a
 very sweet and
 cute girl. May
 you have the
 best of everything.
 Love always,
 Dale Jones

Martha
 you & Eddie make
 a sweet couple. Don't
 keep it up. Get out
 luck.

William Anderson



To Martha
a cute girl whom
I think a lot of
Bobby Beck

THE SREGIT 1954-1955

Martha -
It has been grand having
you in tennis. Thanks for
helping me in the many
ways you have. This has
been such an enjoyable year
and you are one of the ones
who have made it so. Good
luck in your tennis.

Remember me
Miss Moore

COMMERCE, TEXAS

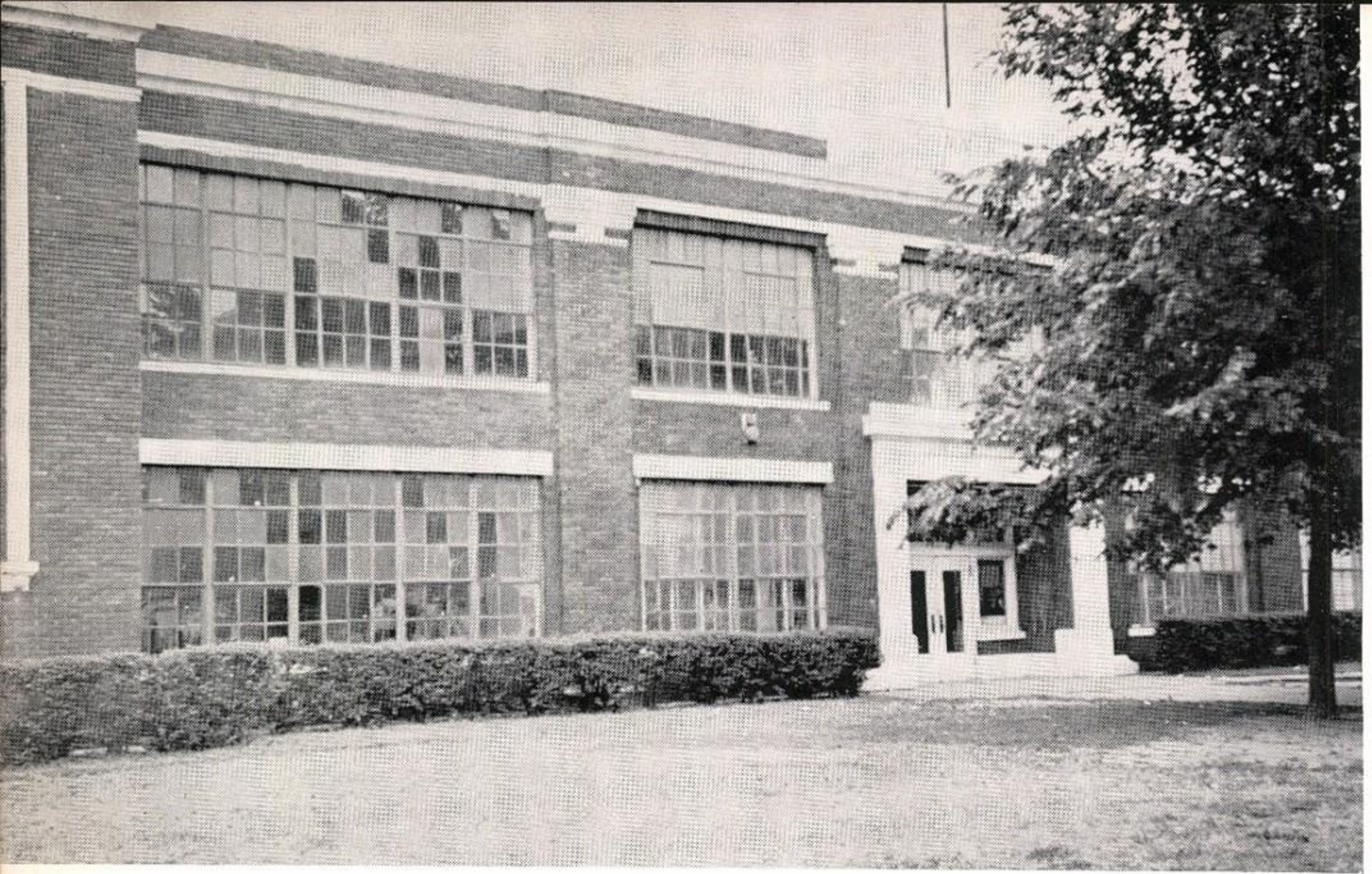
Martha -
a real sweet
girl in the
near future
your friend
see you
soon

I am a real sweet
girl and understanding
Larry

SIXTH EDITION

Martha -
you are going to
be a good tennis player. I hope
you keep on practicing. I hope
you always keep on practicing.
best of everything. Love,
Charles Short

Martha
you have
the look of
a girl who
is a
winner



FOREWORD

Special tunes bring to mind important and cherished events. The disk jockeys of the 1955 "Hit Parade" edition of the Sregit spin the following pages hoping memories of your classmates, favorites, activities, and teachers continue to live through the years.

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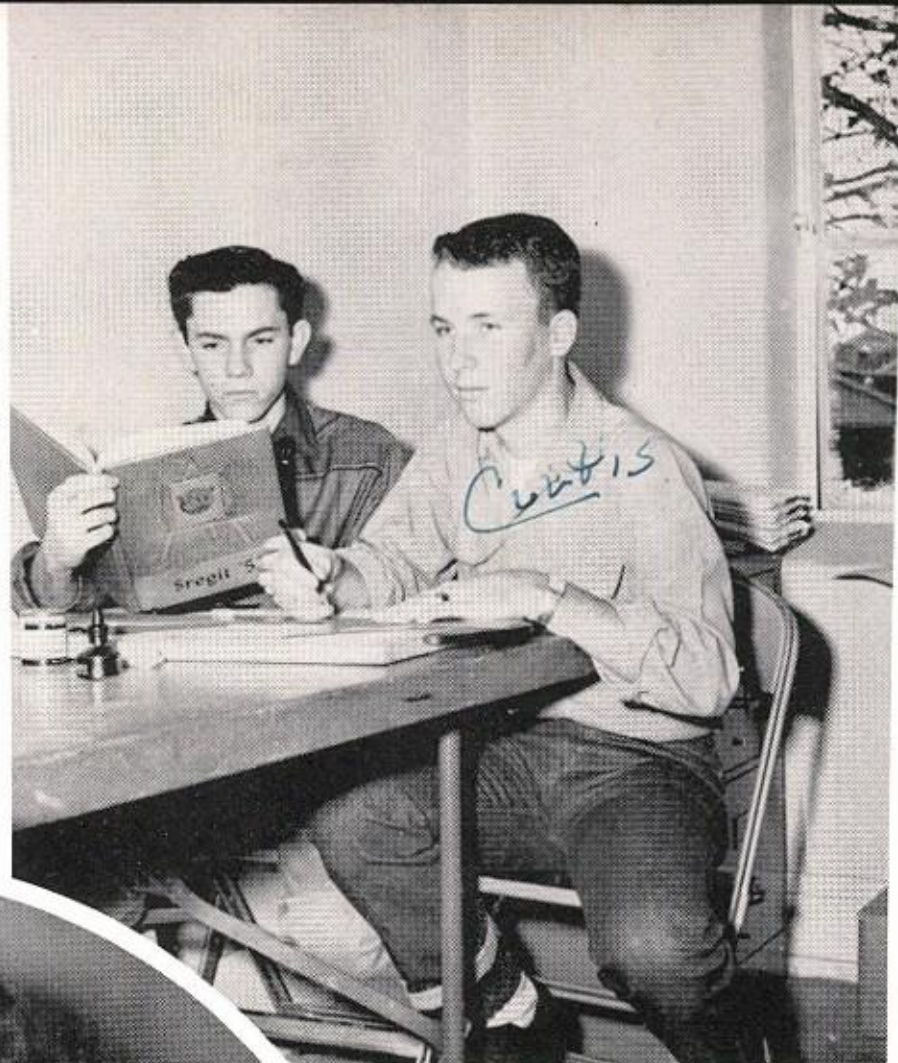
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Betty Roderick - Club Editor
Carolyn Brown and Carolyn
England - Business Managers



William Langley and
Curtis Shuler -
Art Editors

*To a sweet little girl
I have watched for
years while she played
up and down the side-
walk. Stay as you are
now Mrs. Ferguson*



Mrs. Helen Ferguson,
Sponsor

Merlene Presley,
Sally Ryan -
Co-Editors

Janice Hamm - Typist
Bruce Hineman -
Photographer





MR. G. E. MYRICK

We, the Sregit staff, wish to dedicate the 1955 yearbook to Mr. G. E. Myrick. Because of his Christian leadership and school loyalty, Mr. Myrick is an inspiration to the students he associates with year in and year out.

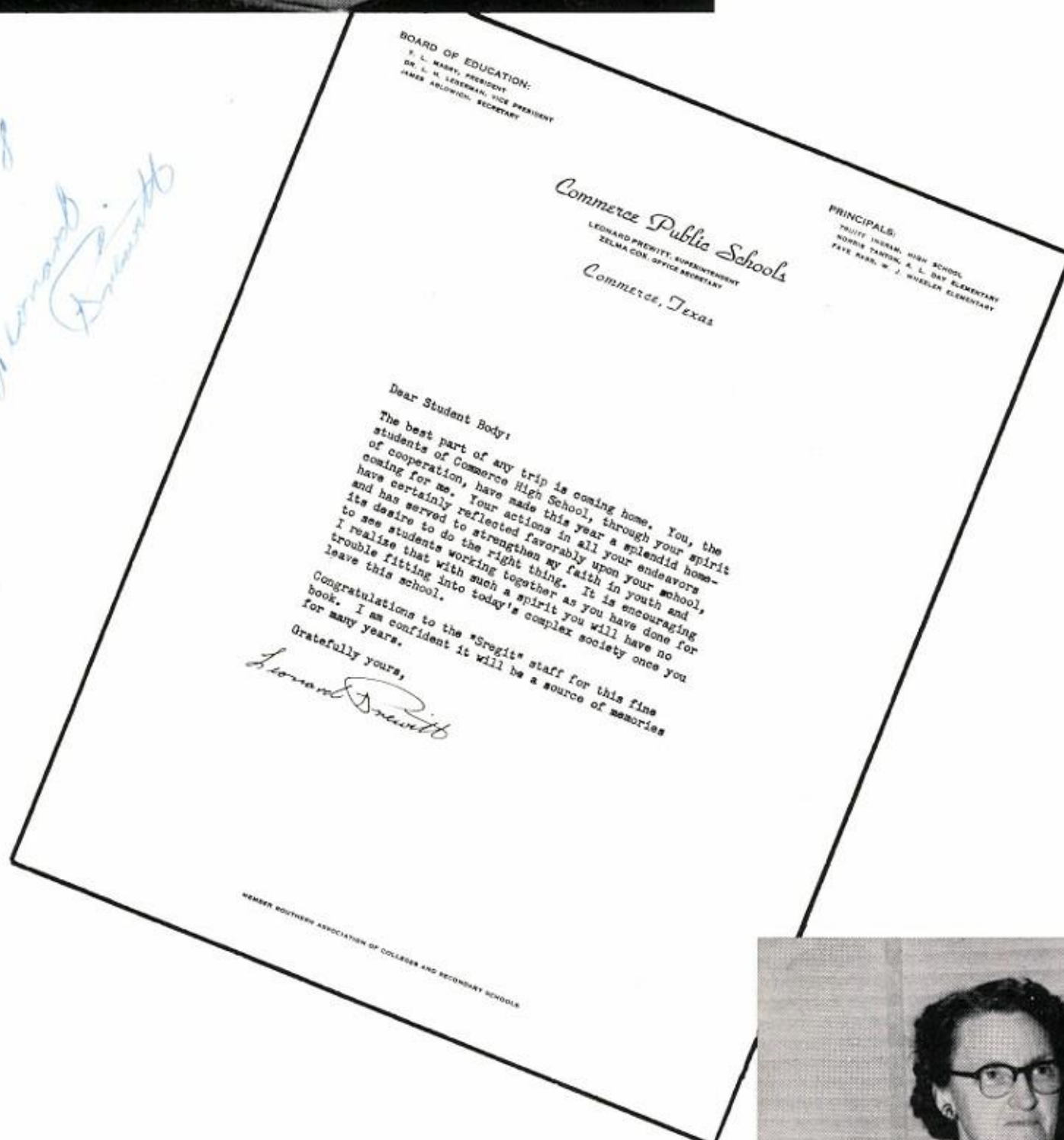
Many of his industrial education pupils have become teachers; many boys he coached have become coaches. His guidance has influenced girls and boys whom he knew in homerooms and in classes he has sponsored.

To you, Mr. Myrick, the Sregit staff wishes all the luck and happiness due such a Christian gentleman.



Mr. Leonard Prewitt is serving his first year as superintendent of the Commerce Public Schools.

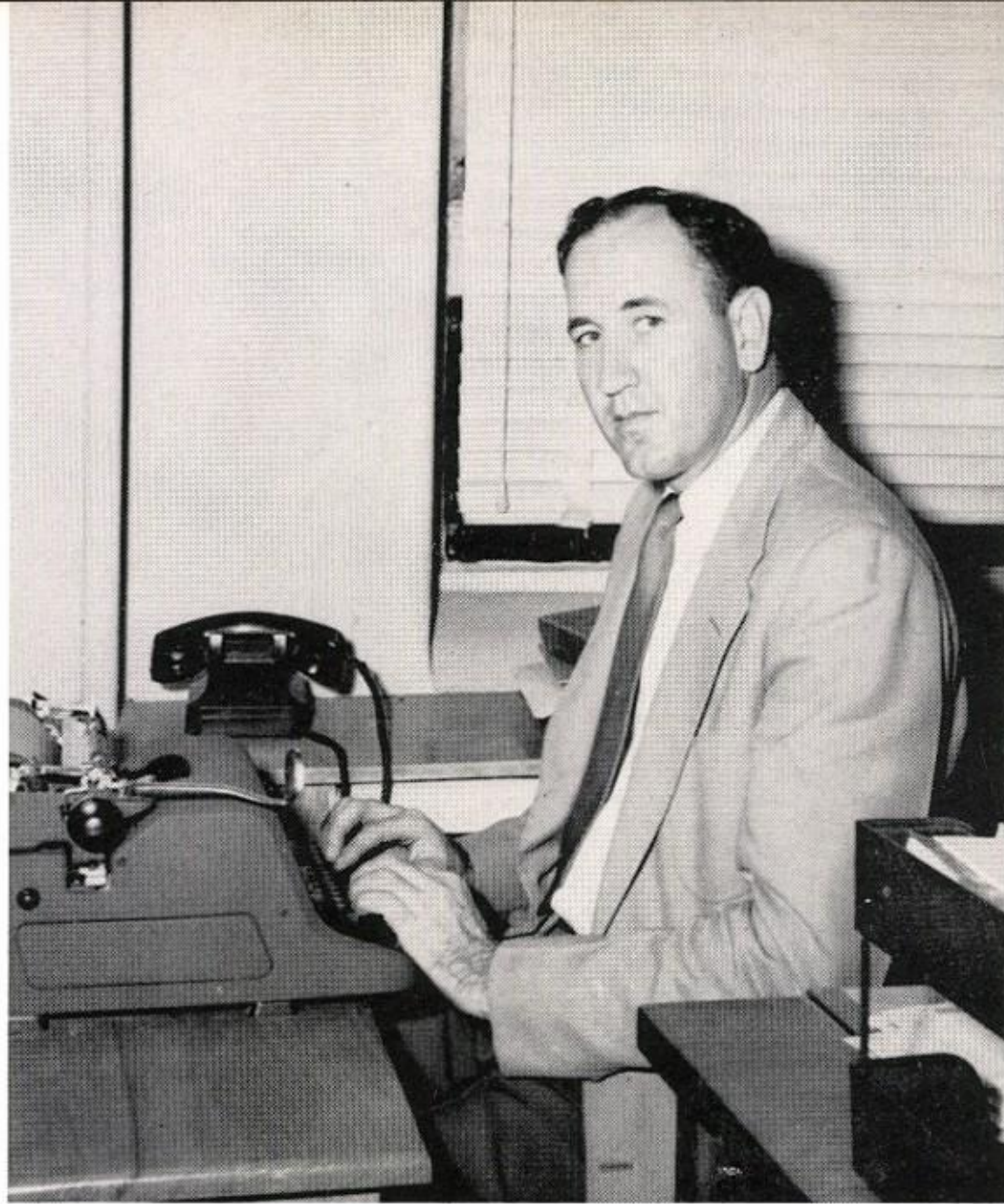
*Good luck to
a fine young
lady.
Leonard Prewitt*



Mrs. Zelma Cox, secretary to superintendent and principal has been in the service of the high school for ten years.



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Commerce Public Schools

LEONARD PREWITT, SUPERINTENDENT
ZELMA COX, OFFICE SECRETARY

Commerce, Texas

December 16, 1954

To the Student Body of Commerce High School:

Dear Students:

It has been a great pleasure for me to have the opportunity to work with you this year. You have proven yourselves to be an outstanding student body worthy of the compliments of any principal. I compliment you upon your achievements this year and hope that we are making, and will continue to make, progress here at Commerce High School. You, the student body, have become dear to me and I appreciate your friendship individually and collectively. If I can be of service to any of you, please feel free to call on me.

May I take this opportunity to congratulate the SREGIT staff upon this edition of the SREGIT. You have done a fine job and have worked faithfully. This edition will mean much enjoyment and entertainment for those who have subscribed for this year's SREGIT.

Sincerely yours,

Truitt Ingram

Truitt Ingram

S C H O O L B O A R D



OFFICERS

President

T. L. Mabry

Vice President

Dr. L. H. Leberman

Secretary

James Ablowich

Pausing for a few minutes before getting down to business are: Standing: Mr. Ed O'Neal, Mr. Grady Owens and Mr. Jack Chapin. Seated: Mr. James Albowich, Mr. T. L. Mabry and Dr. L. H. Leberman. Mrs. Mary Sheely was detained because of illness.

FAVORITES





Senior Favorites.
KAREN SMITH
WILLIE HILL



Junior Favorites
JAMES CAMERON
AUDREY MARRIOTT

Donna



Sophomore Favorites
DONNA PARRIS
MILTON McCLUNG



Freshman Favorites
LOYCE MOORE
BILLY WILSON



Eighth Grade Favorites
MARTHA HAYWOOD
NEAL ESTES



Seventh Grade Favorites
SUE WALKER
JOHNNY WILLIAMS



Senior High Valentine Sweethearts
BEVERLY LYTTLE
JIMMY BRYANT



Junior High Valentine Sweethearts
BARBARA SHIELDS
MIKE KING



Harvest Festival Queen
JANE BICKLEY



Student Council President
SALLY RYAN



Best wishes to a
sweet girl!!
Carolyn Brown

Queen
of the
School

Football Sweetheart
CAROLYN BROWN

Martha -
"Sweetie" here's hoping
you are the best dressed
gal in school - know what
I mean? (Dancer) You are
precious in every way &
have you, Janet

F.F.A. Sweetheart
JANET ESTES



D. A. R. Representative
CAROLYN ENGLAND

SENIORS



I'll be

see-ing you



Joe strums his guitar while Carolyn E., Merlene, Carolyn B., and Bob look on.

President

JOE SAYLOR

Vice President

BOB BRACKEEN

Secretary

CAROLYN ENGLAND

Treasurer

MERLENE PRESLEY

Reporter

CAROLYN BROWN

SENIOR OFFICERS

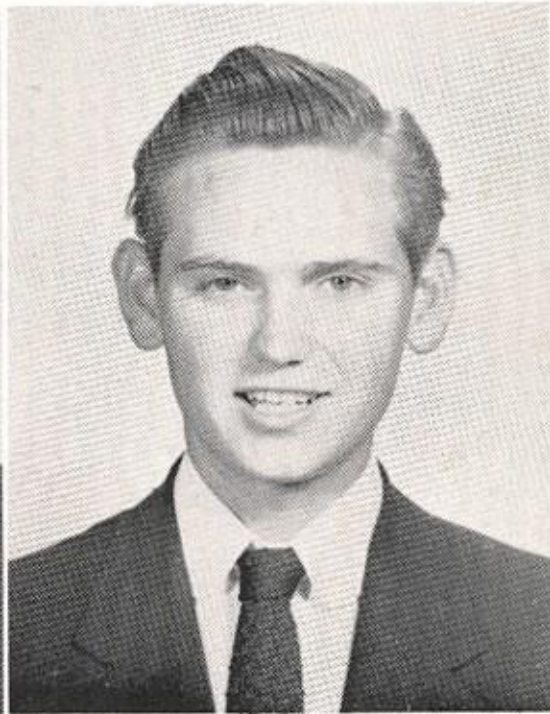
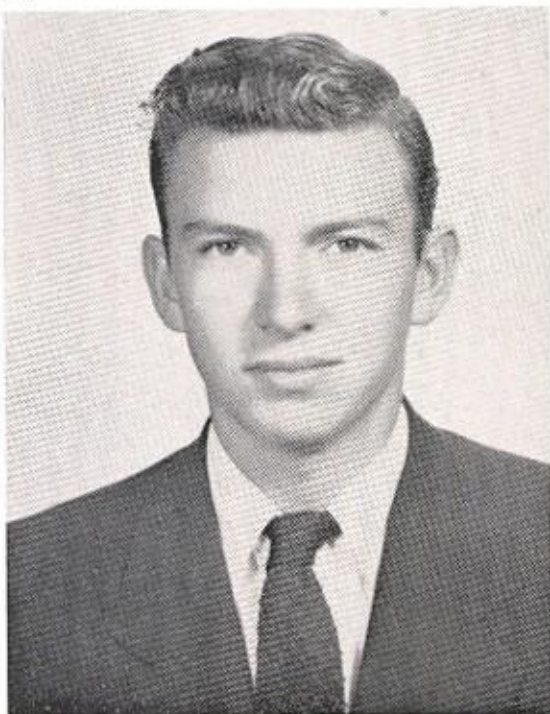


JOHN BALLARD

GAIL BELL
 Cheerleader
 Queen Nominee
 Student Council Secretary
 Tennis Club Treasurer
 Tiger Tips Staff
 FHA



BOBBY BRACKEEN
 Basketball
 Tennis Team
 Tennis Club President
 Class Vice President



BENNY BRAND
 Drum Major
 Tennis Team
 Tiger Tips Staff

JAYNE BRANOM
 Tiger Tips Staff



CAROLYN BROWN
 Class Favorite
 Sregit Staff
 Class Reporter
 Student Council
 Secretary
 Tiger Tips Editor
 FHA District II
 Vice President



KATHLEEN CLEMENTS
 FHA
 Strings

BILLY DANIELS
 FFA





BOBBY ENGLAND

Band

CAROLYN ENGLAND

FHA
Tiger Tips
Manager Editor
Sregit Staff
Class Secretary



JANET ESTES

FFA Sweetheart
FHA
Tiger Tips Staff
Office Worker



HAROLD FINLEY

FFA
Football

JO ANNE GRAY

APC President
Band Vice President
FHA Pianist
Tiger Tips



JERRY HAMLIN

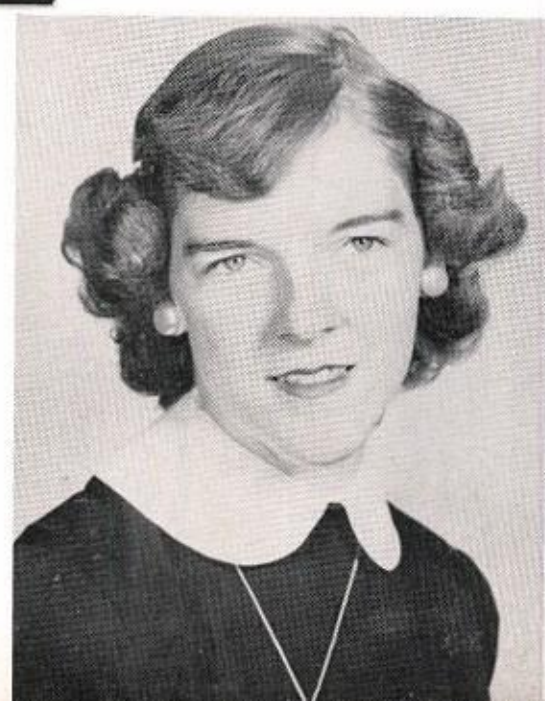


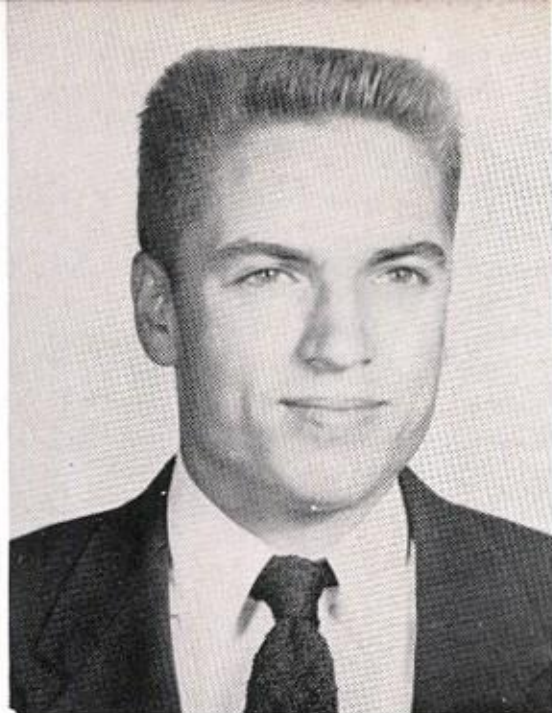
GERALD HAZLEWOOD

Football
Basketball
Cafeteria Worker

MARTHA HENIN

FHA



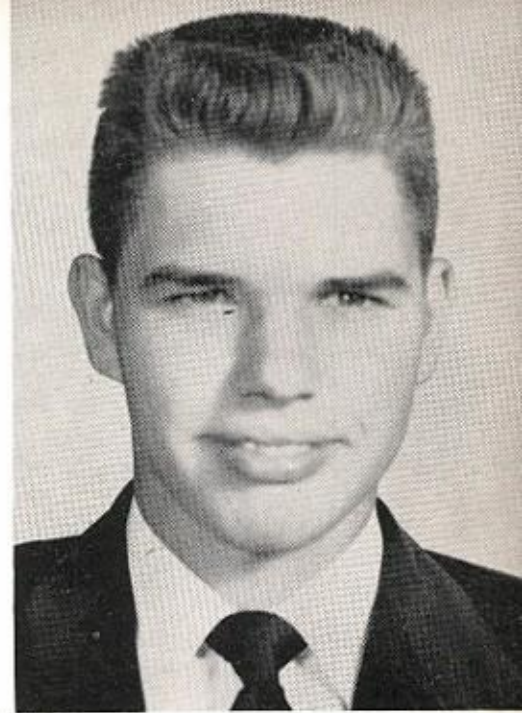


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Football
FFA
Track

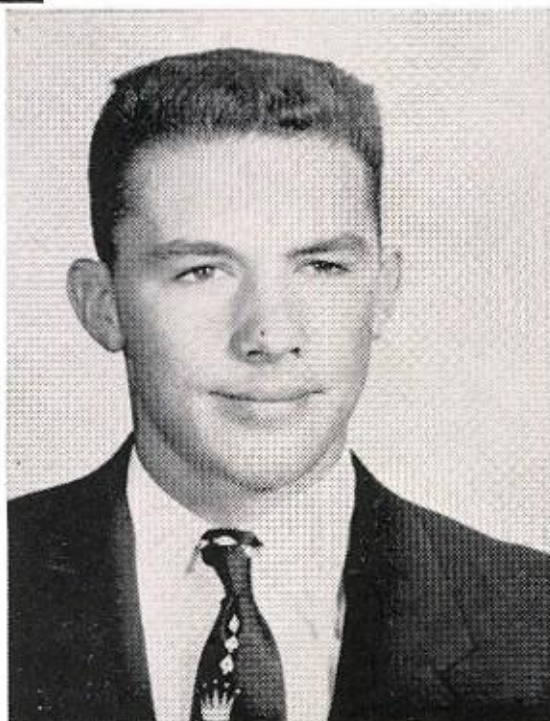
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Band
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Student Council
Vice President
Tiger Tips Staff
Sregit Staff
Tennis Club
Reporter



EARNEST HOLLEY

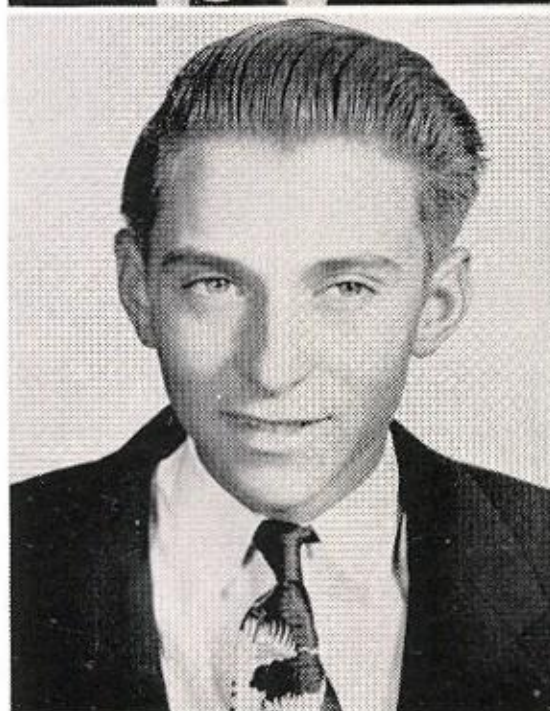
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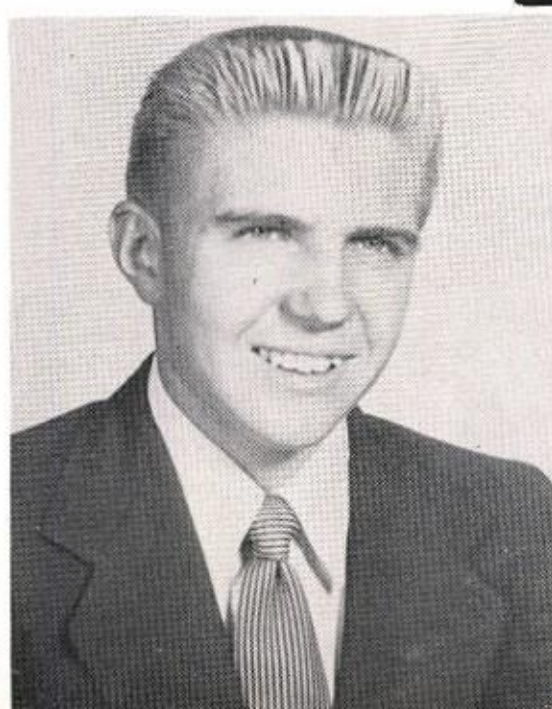
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FFA



BETTY KETNER

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GLEN KIBLER

FFA Secretary
FFA Vice President
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Band
APC
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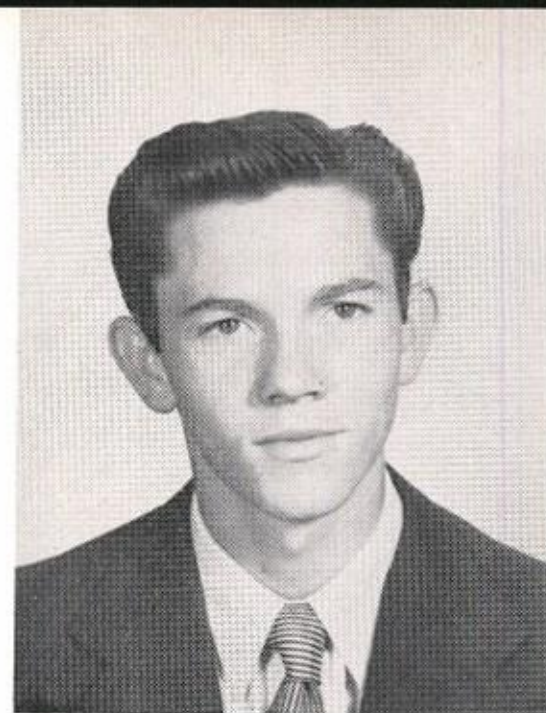


SUE LAMB

FHA

WILLIAM LANGLEY

Sregit Staff



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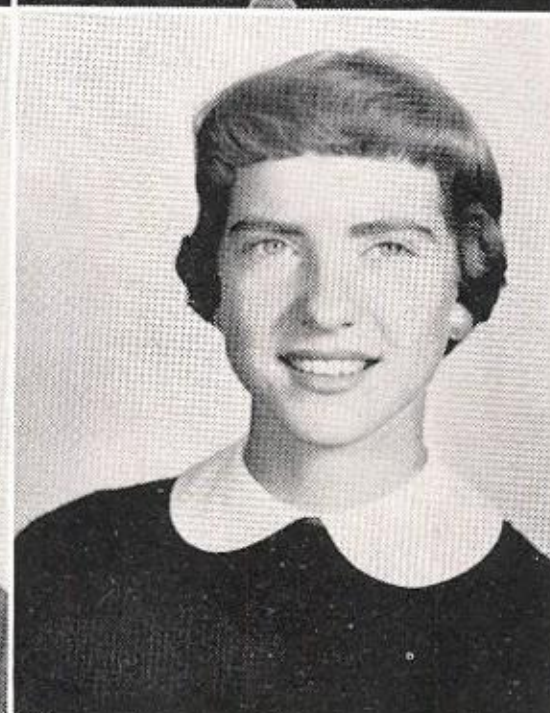
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FFA
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JANIE LEMON

SALLY LORING

FHA
Horizon Club
Office Worker



BEVERLY LYTLE

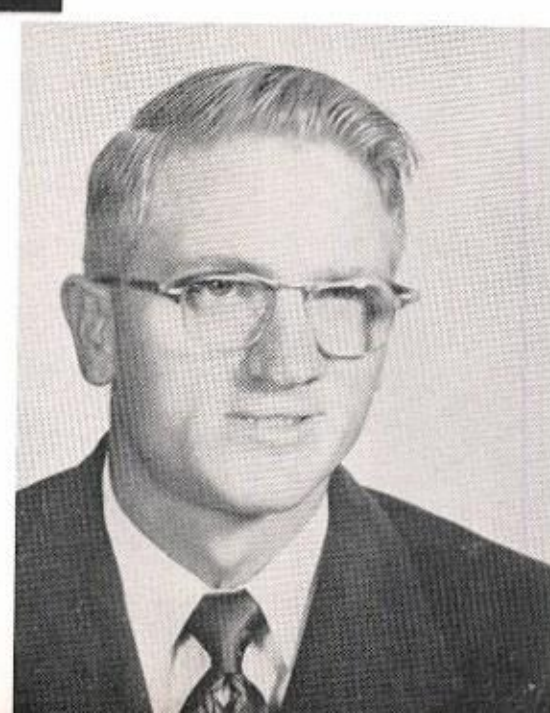
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Cheerleader
Football Sweetheart
Horizon Club



CARL MASSEY

FFA

LEO MASSEY



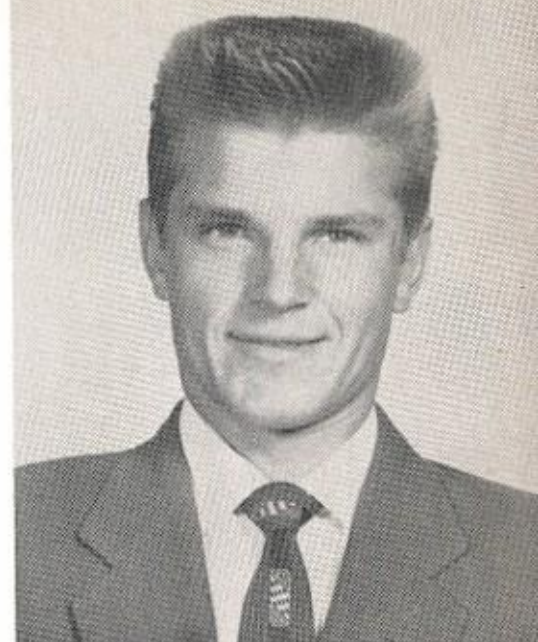


HAROLD MATTHEWS

Football
Tiger Tips Staff

JAMES MERRELL

Football
Track
FFA



WESLEY McCASLAND

Football
Track
FFA



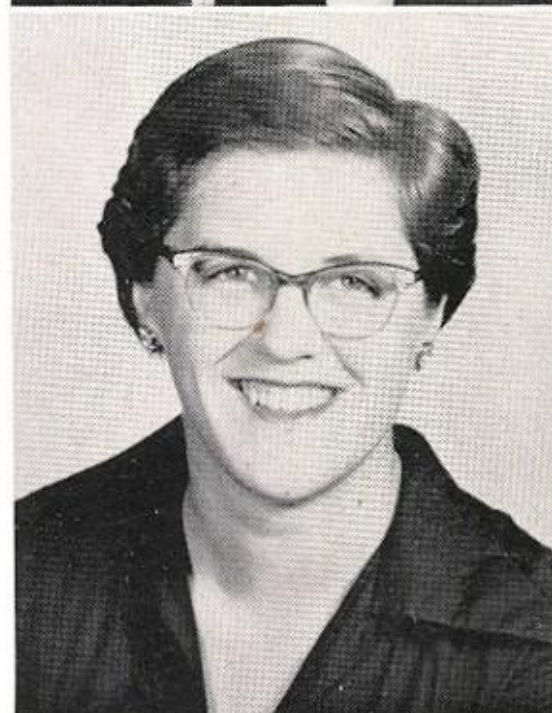
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Student Council
Horizon Club
FHA



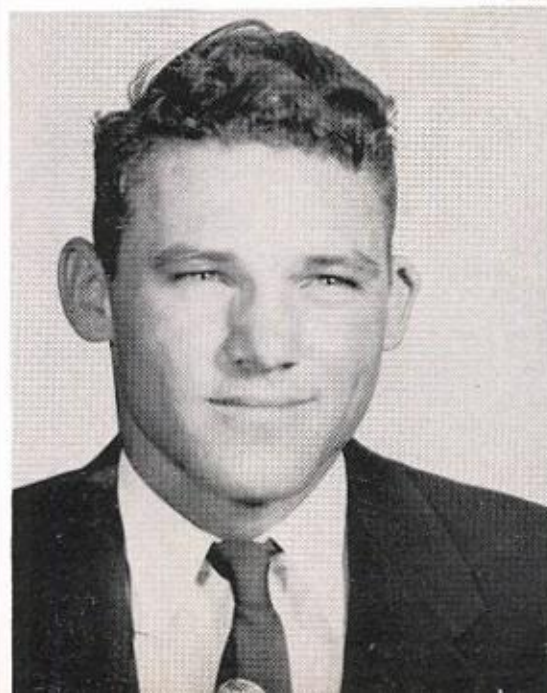
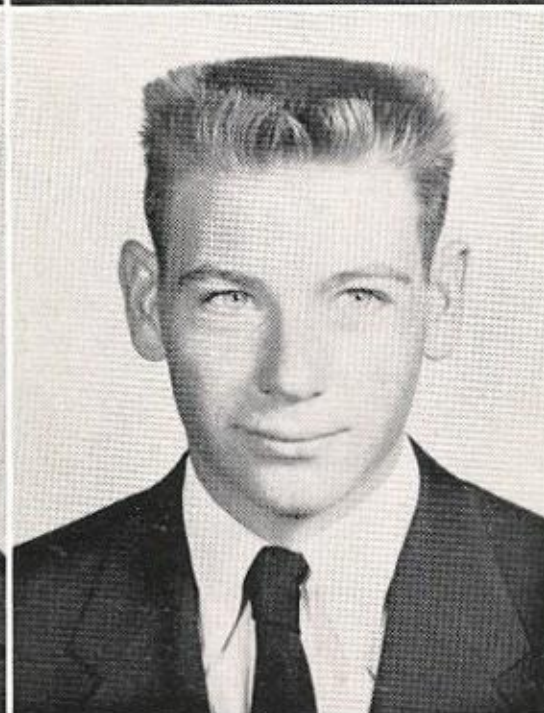
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Spanish Club
FHA



JAMES MOORE

FFA Sentinel

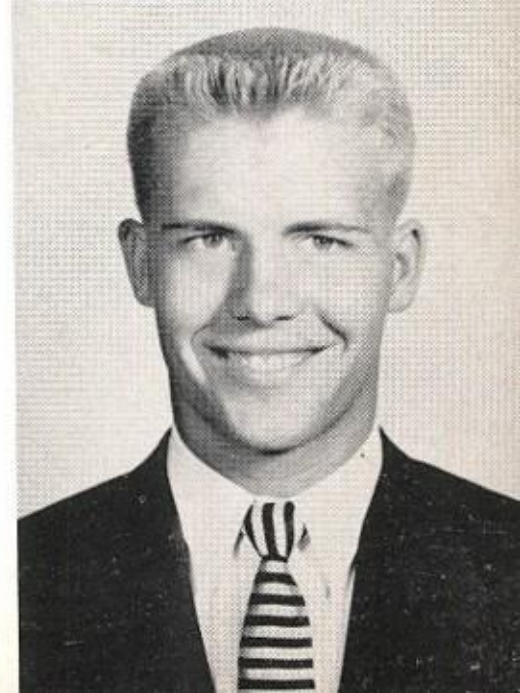


JOHNNY MOORE

FFA
Parliamentarian
Track
Football

RONNY PARRIS

Football
Tennis
Basketball
Student Council
Parliamentarian





MERLENE PRESLEY

FHA
Sregit Club Editor
Horizon Club
Sregit Co-Editor
Class Treasurer
Tiger Tips
Organization Editor

TOMMIE PRICE

FHA



JIMMY RAYNES

Basketball
Tiger Tips
Sports Editor



BOBBY REGAN

FFA

ALICE RIMMER

FHA



BETTY RODERICK

FHA
Business Manager
Tiger Tips
Sregit Organization
Editor
Horizon Club
President
Sregit Assistant
Editor

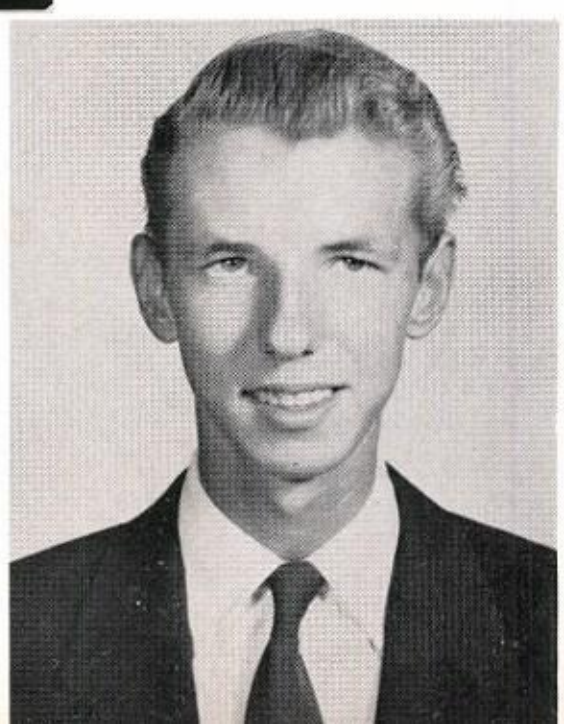


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Student Council
President
Sregit Co-Editor
Tiger Tips Staff
Secretary FHA
Class Secretary
Tennis Club Secretary
Senior High Valentine
Sweetheart

JOE SAYLOR

Senior Band
President
Student Council
Class President
Junior Class
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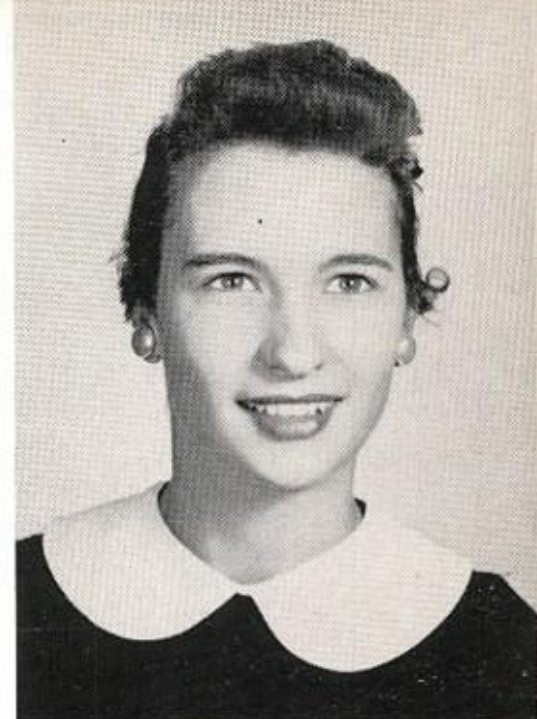


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FHA
Tiger Tips Staff
Horizon Club

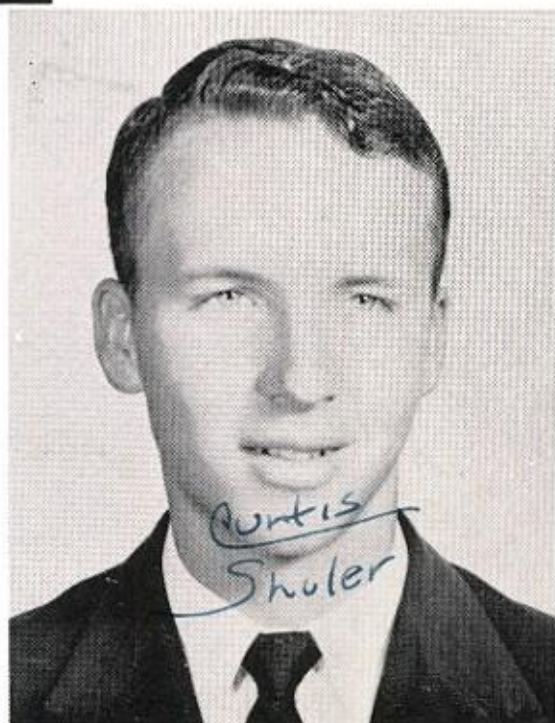
SANDRA SCOTT

FHA Song Leader
APC Secretary
Office Worker
Vocalist for
Dance Band



CURTIS SHULER

Junior Class
President
Student Council
Treasurer
APC President
Tennis Club
Sregit Staff
Basketball



CHARLES SMITH

Student Council
FFA

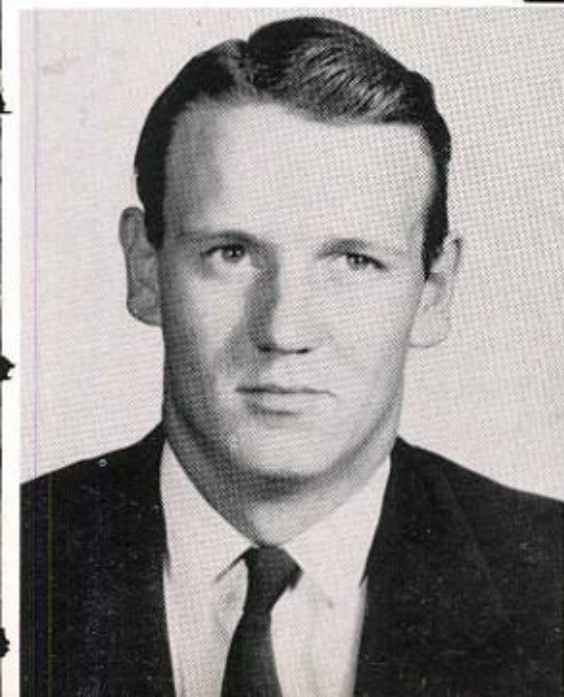
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Office Worker



KAREN SMITH

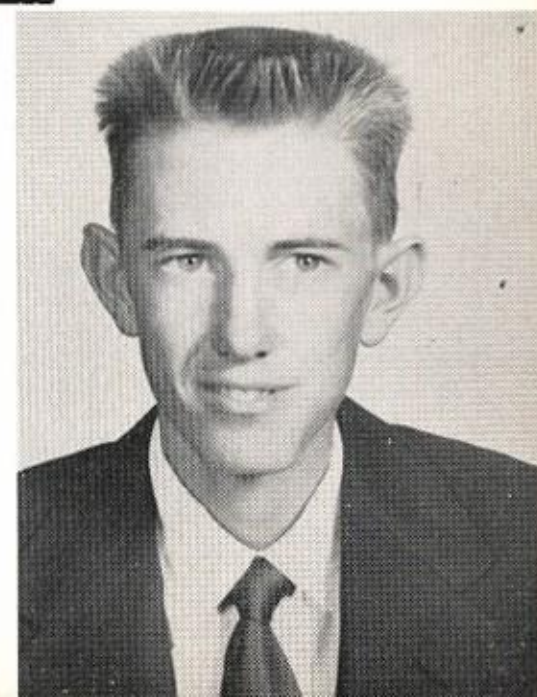
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ROBERT SPEIGHT

FFA





YVONNE STEWART

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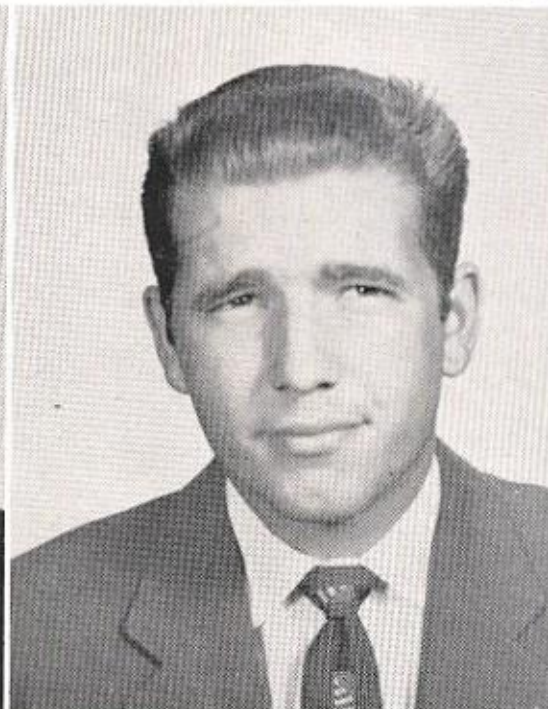
FRANKLIN STOOKSBERRY

Tiger Tips Staff



DONALD TIMBERLAKE

Student Conductor
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Tennis Team
Cafeteria Worker
Tiger Tips News
Editor



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Student Council
Football
Track

NELL WALLS

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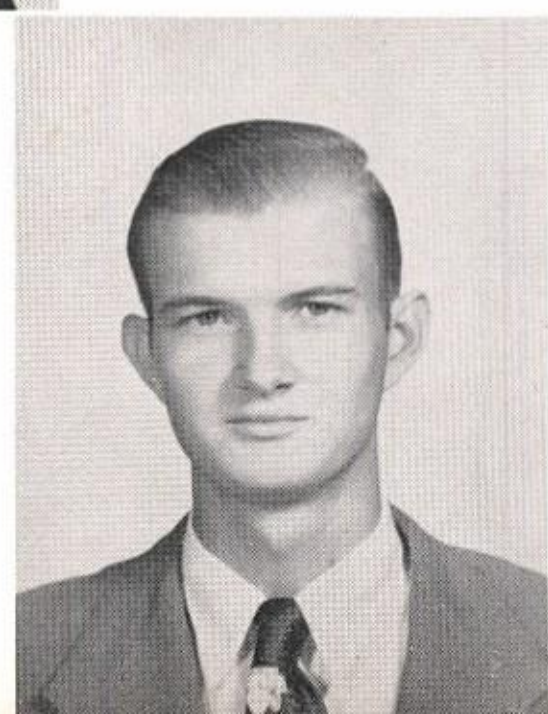


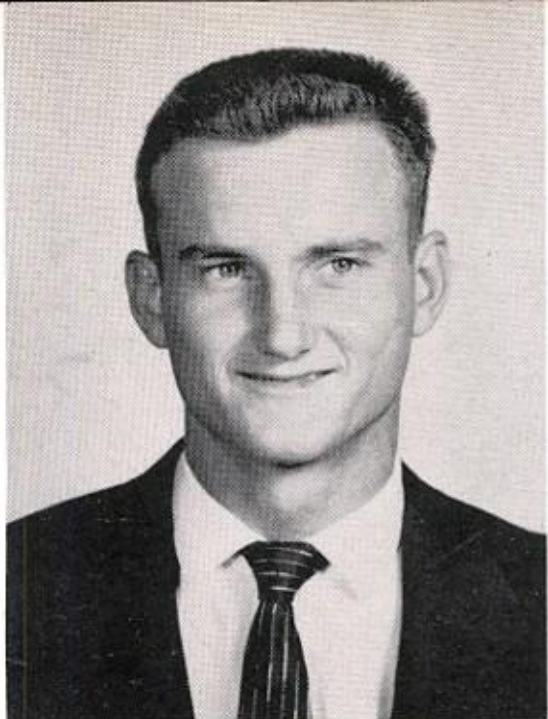
BETTIE WHITESIDES



VERN WILLIAMS

FRANK WRIGHT





LUTHER WRIGHT

Football

SENIOR AUTOGRAPHS

Donald Linchbaker

Merlene Presley



SOCIETY

First arrivals at D.A.R. tea, Betty Brown, Robert Speight and Franklin Stooksberry were greeted by Joe Saylor and Bob Brackeen



Mary McCrary and Joe Saylor portray a part of "Spring Scene" at Fall Festival.



NO WOMEN ALLOWED

Miss Anna (Craig) Wallace ties the knot with Jerry Keeble in the "Womanless Wedding" at the Harvest Festival. Groomsman, Earnest Holley, Veronica (Ronny Parris), Weslena (Wesley) McCasland and Glenda (Luther) Wright, bridesmaids give support.



GIRL OF MY HEART
Beverly Lytle, CHS senior, was chosen senior high Valentine Sweetheart in February.



TOUCH OF ROYALTY
Duchess Carolyn England chose Johnny Moore as her escort at Fall Festival.



Left: Johnny Moore, senior co-captain, takes his just reward from Carolyn Brown, football sweetheart. Harold Pemberton presented the bouquet.

Right: Janet Estes and Rita Rackley, Bland, were runner-ups in the district FFA sweetheart contest at Commerce in November.



JUNIORS





Are Bobby, James, Emmett and Kenneth supporting the juke box, or is the juke box supporting them while Bill relaxes and enjoys his music?

President

BOBBY KILLINGSWORTH

Vice President

BILL HOLLEY

Secretary

JAMES KELLEY

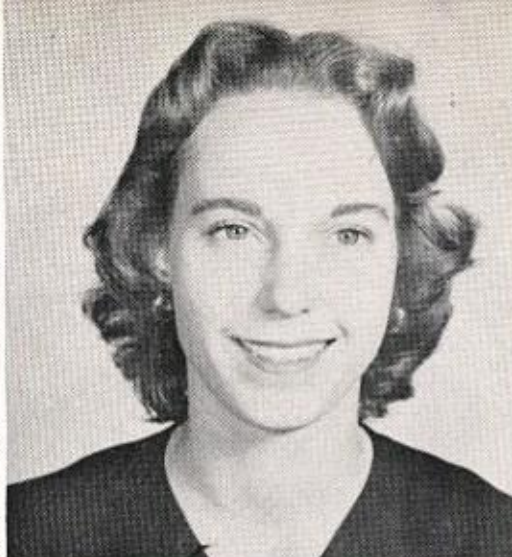
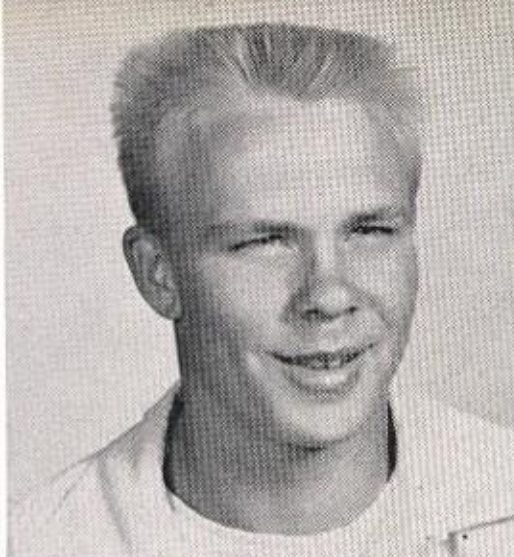
Treasurer

EMMETT OWENS

Reporter

KENNETH FOUST

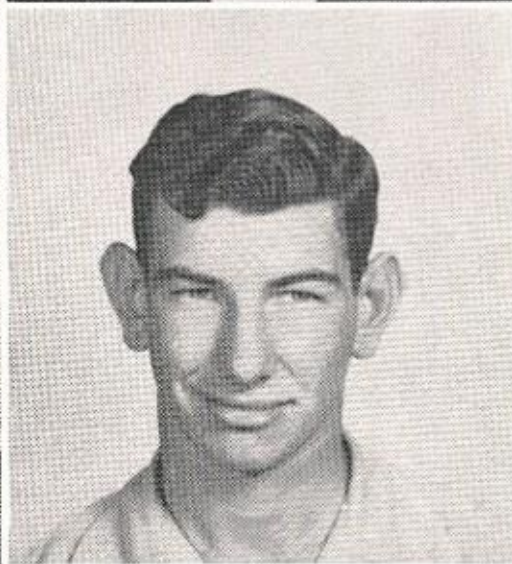
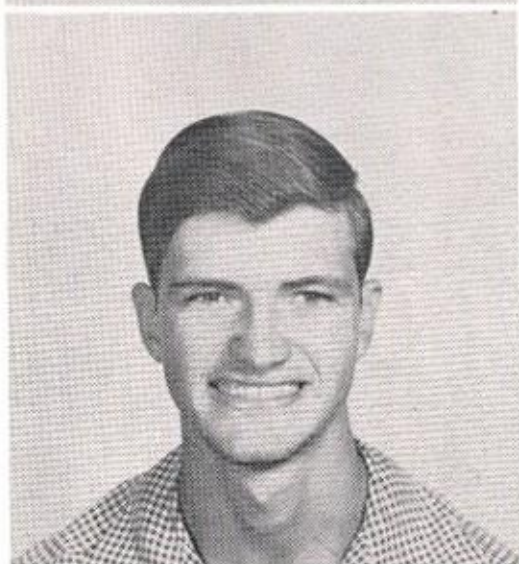
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JERRY BANKHEAD

JANE BICKLEY

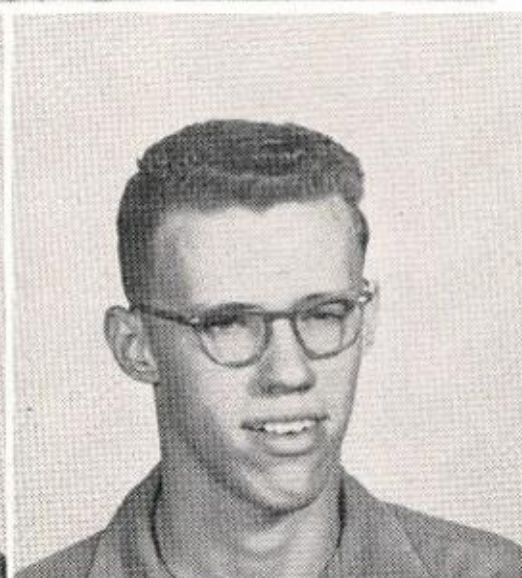
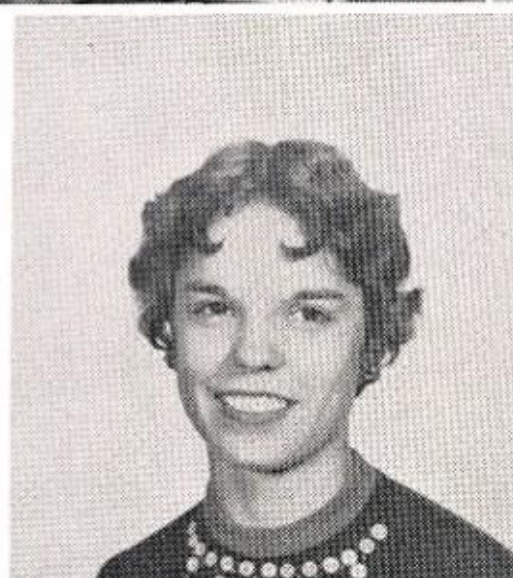


KENNETH BOLES

BARBARA BUSBY

JAMES CAMERON

DOROTHY CAMPBELL

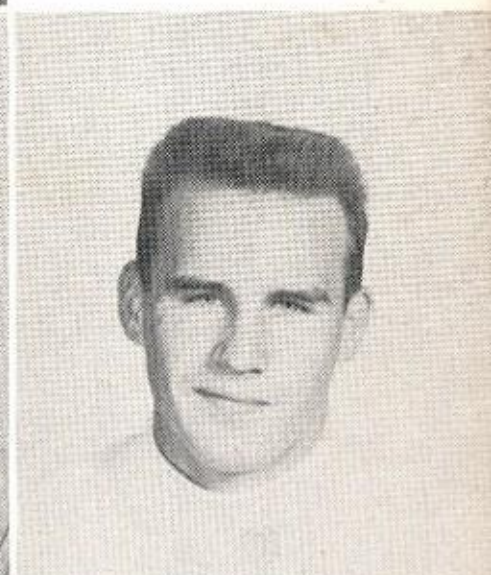


CHARLES CAROTHERS

ELIZABETH CHANNON

BOBBY CREAMER

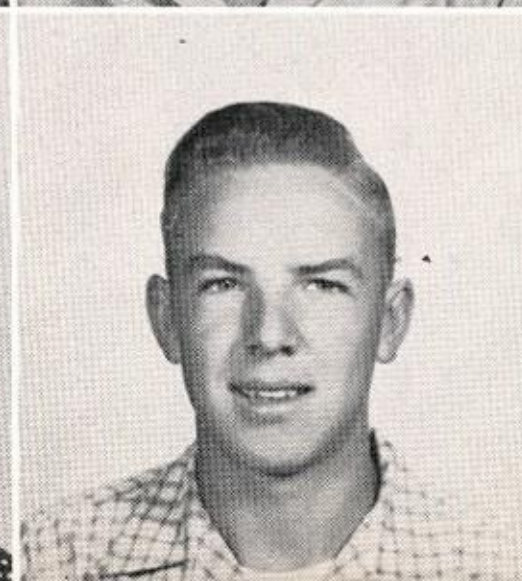
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JUNE DUNCAN

W. G. DUNN

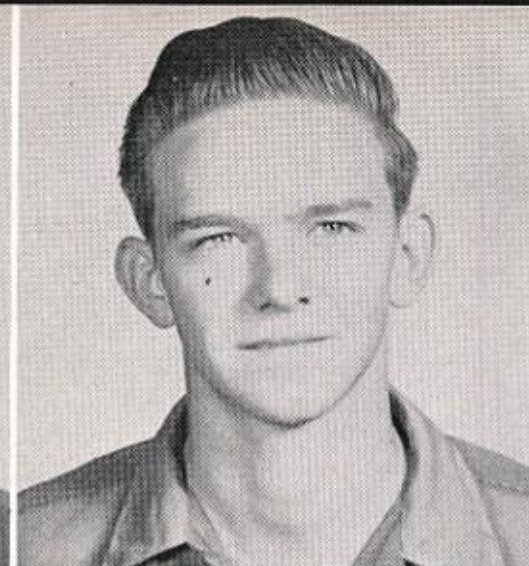
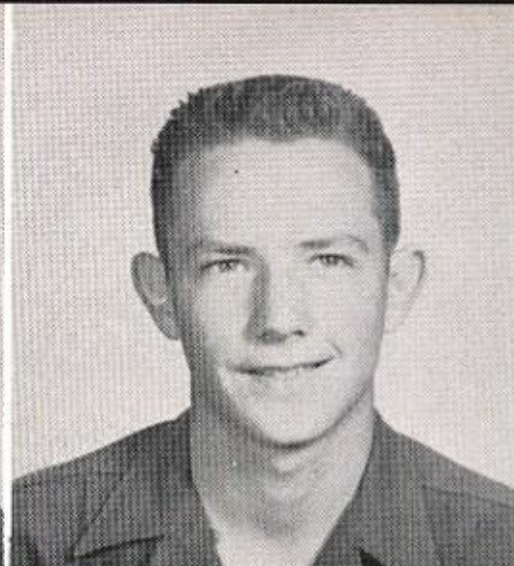
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MARY FARLER

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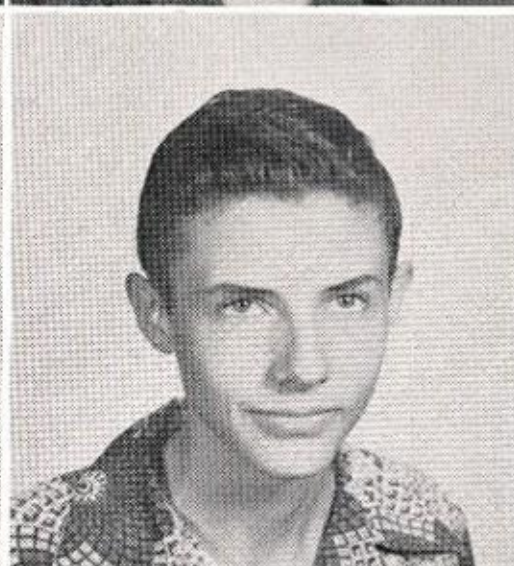
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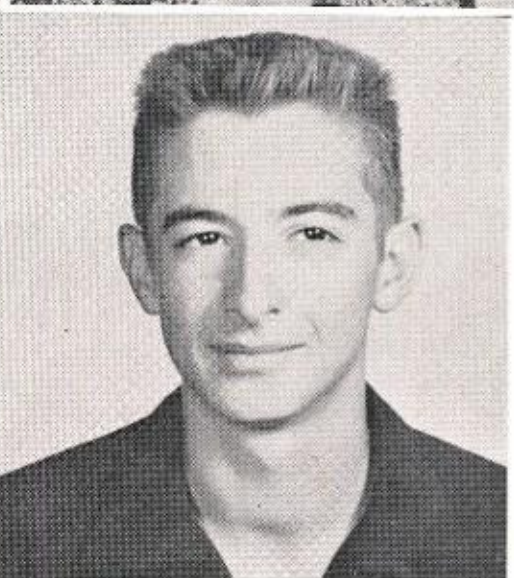
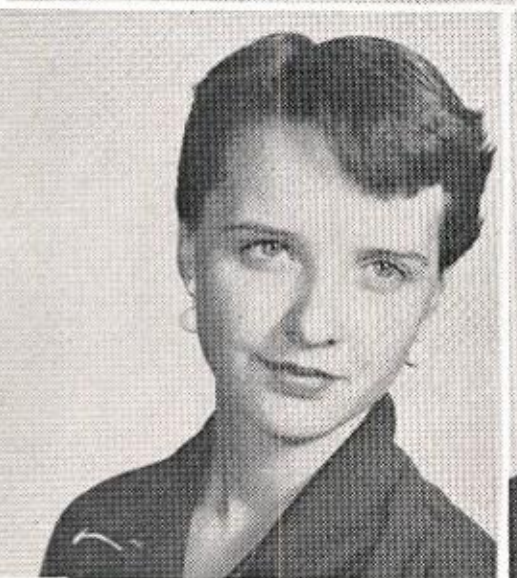
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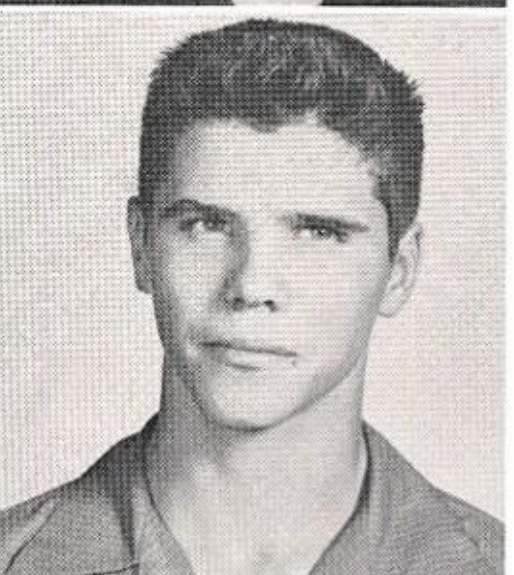
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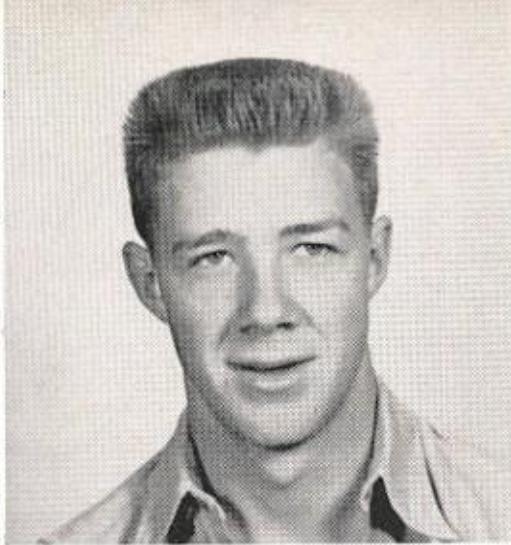
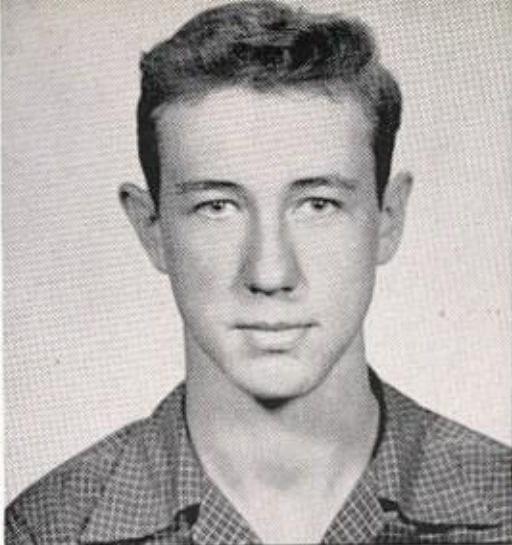
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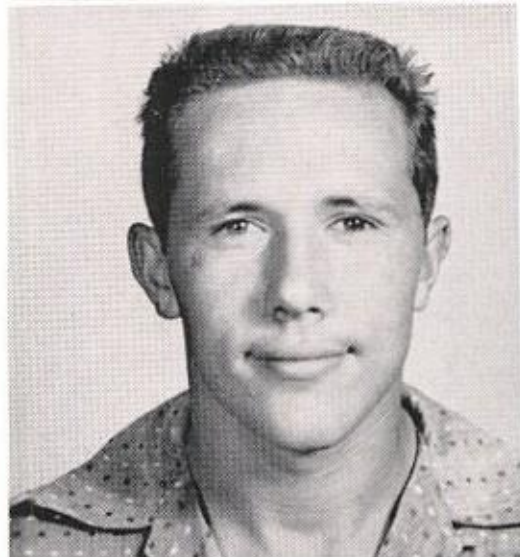
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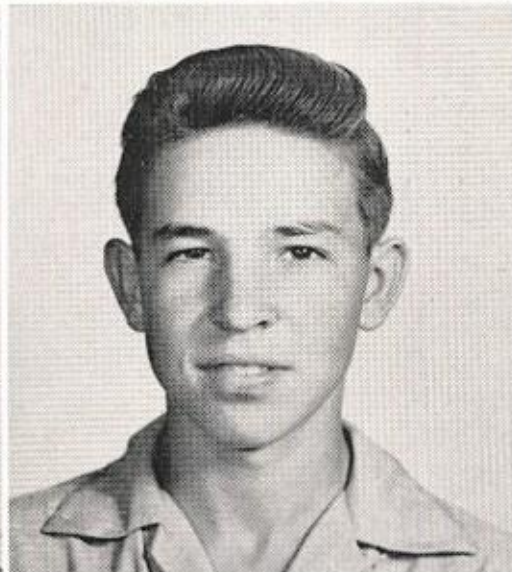
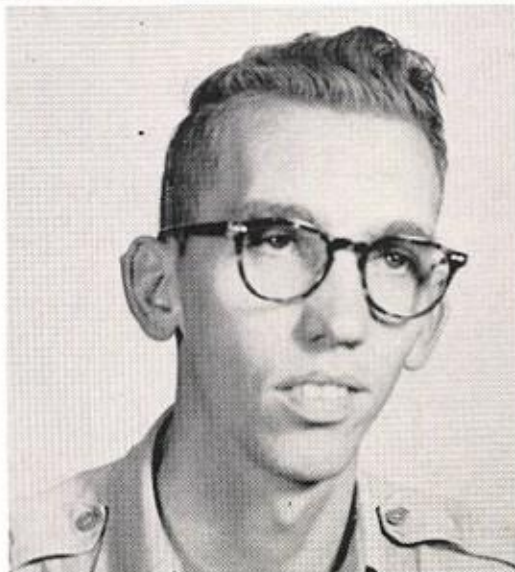


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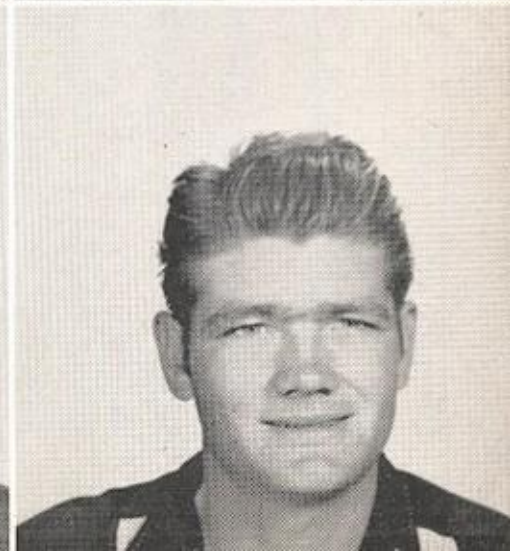


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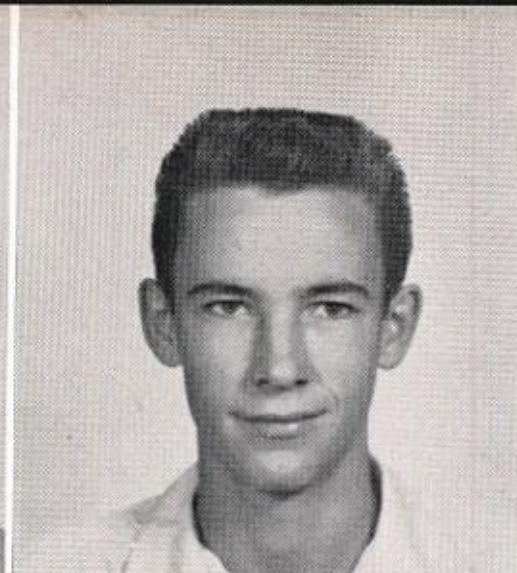
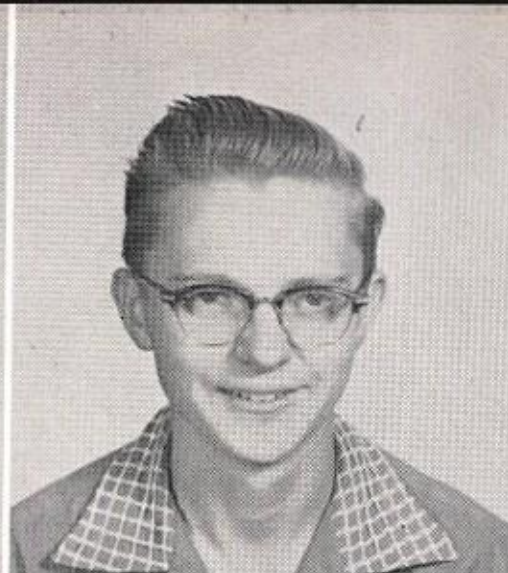
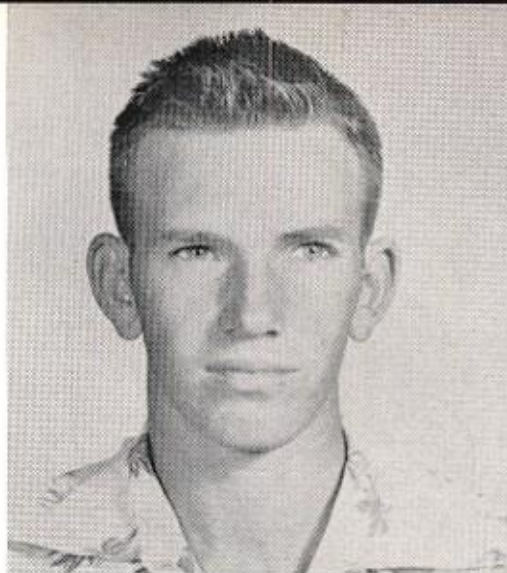
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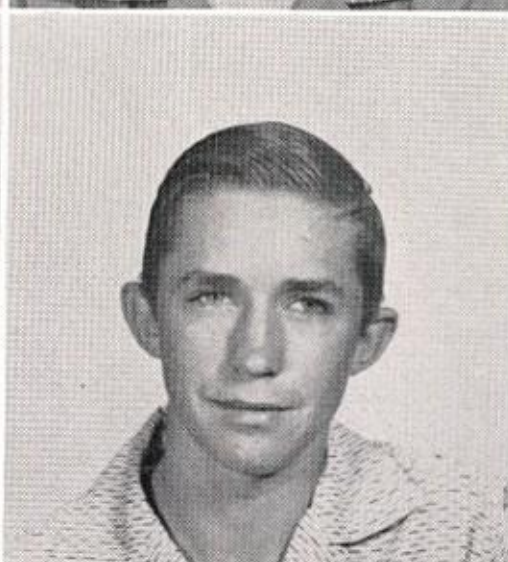
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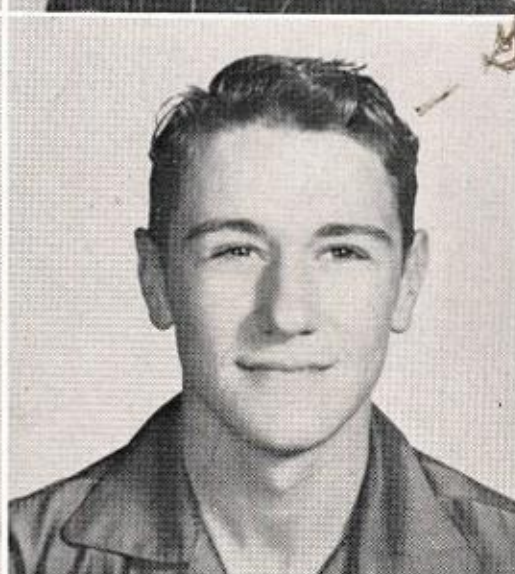
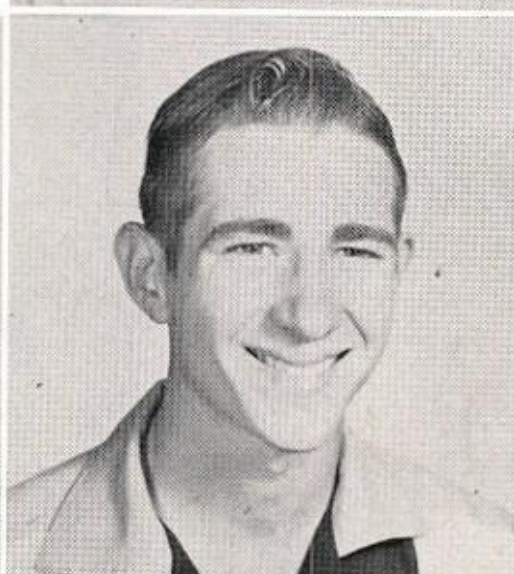
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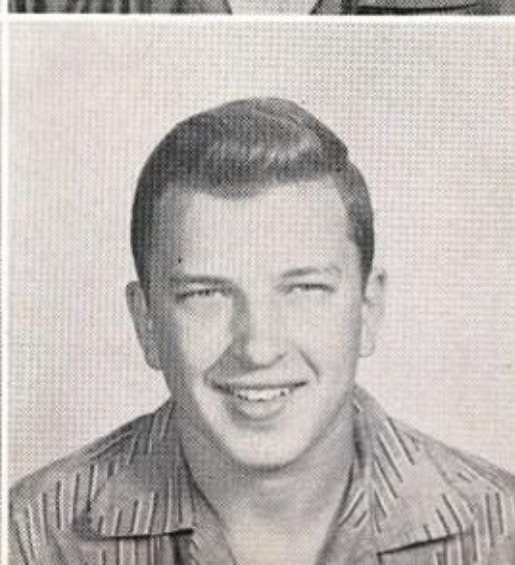
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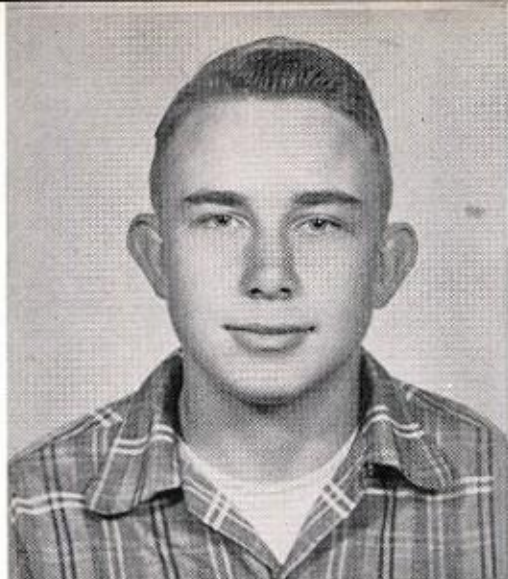


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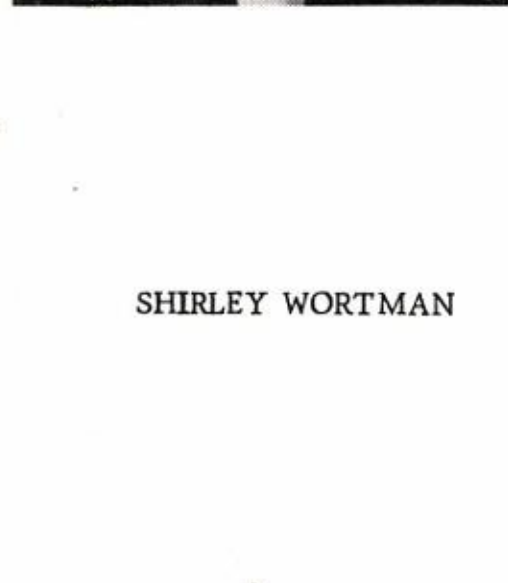
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MONTIE WOOD



SHIRLEY WORTMAN



BILL HOLLEY



Queen Jane Bickley and King Bill Talley and their court at the Harvest Festival on November 5 in the high school gymnasium.



Verta Gentry and Kenneth Foust, over Annette Harbour's dead body, discover they're ghosts in the play, "Afterwards."

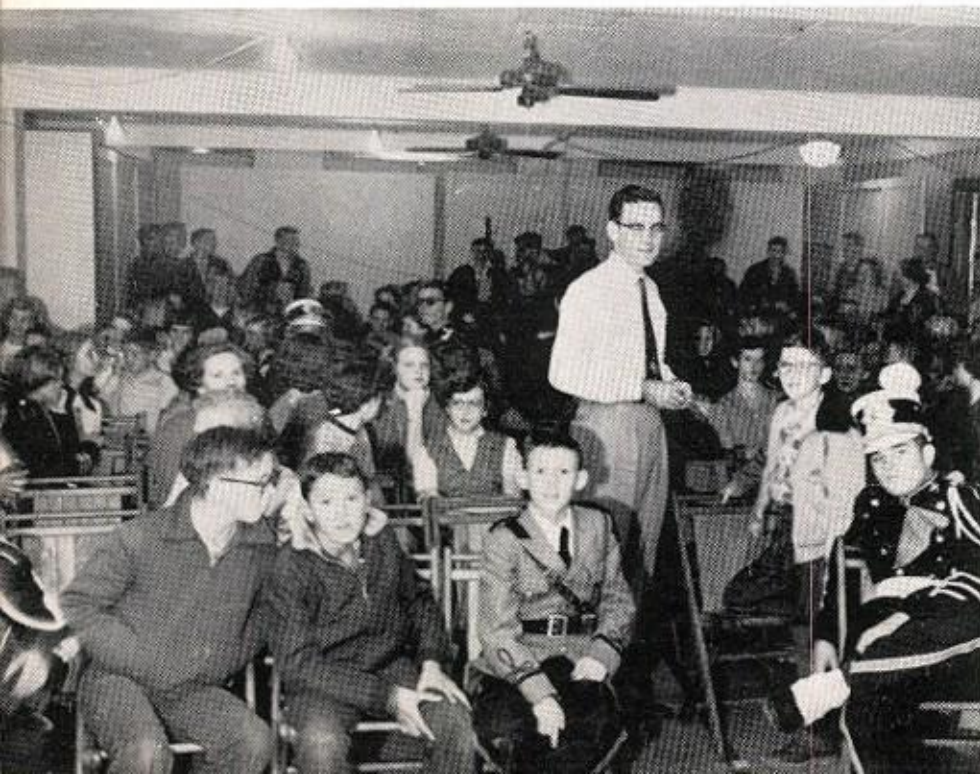


Jane Bickley, Mrs. Helen Ferguson and Annette Harbour work late into the night on the "Beat the Stuffin's Out of Cooper" theme for the Tiger-Bulldog bout.

Men of the Bonham Baptist Church serve a steak supper with all the trimmings to Commerce players after the Tiger-Warrior game.



Mr. Ernest Mosley conducts one of several "After the Game Parties" in the basement of the First Baptist Church.



Janice Hamm and Miss Tula Milford are more than a little puzzled by the living Aves specimen held by Larry George and Larry Carr.

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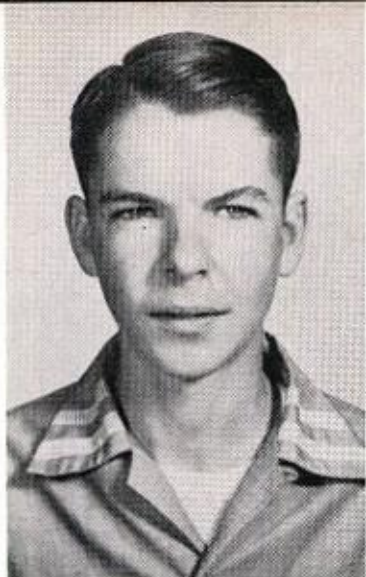
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Lupe, Jackie, Jimmy, Harold, and Densel are caught during a pause at noon.

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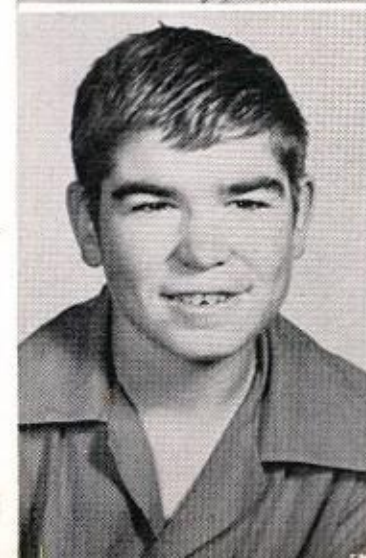
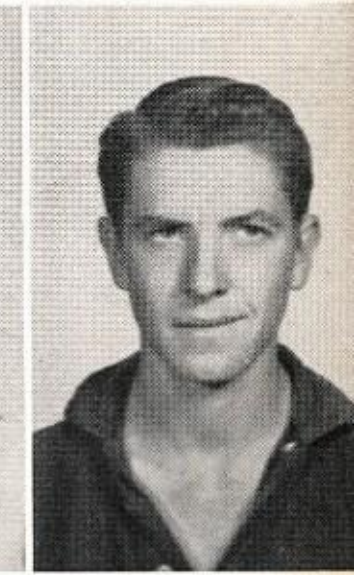
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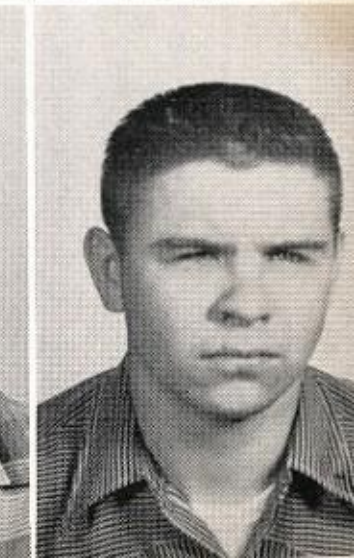
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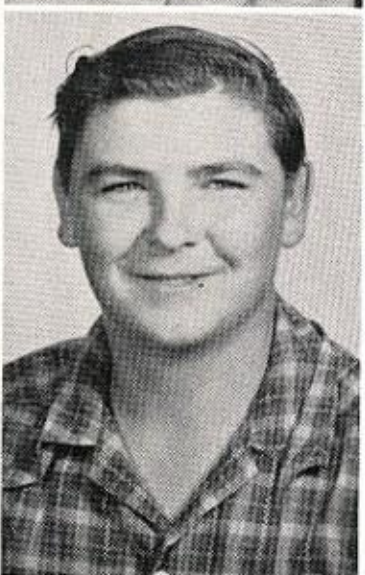
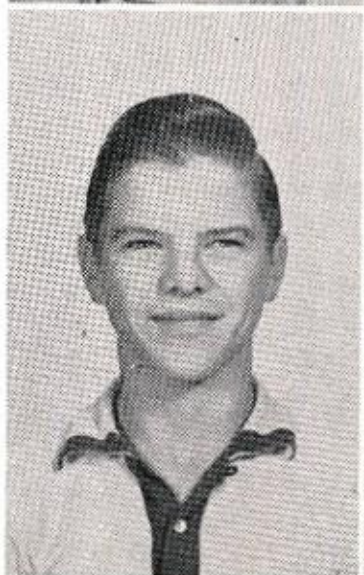
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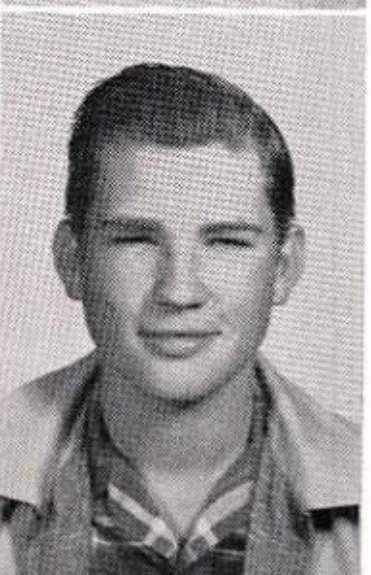
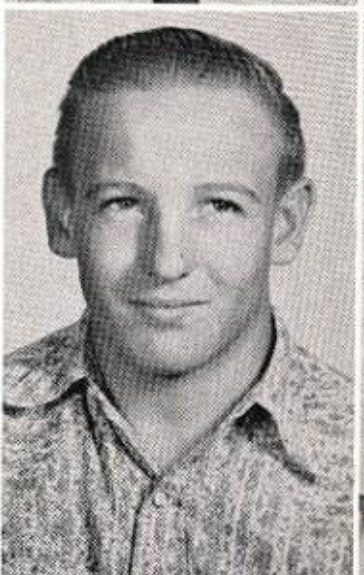
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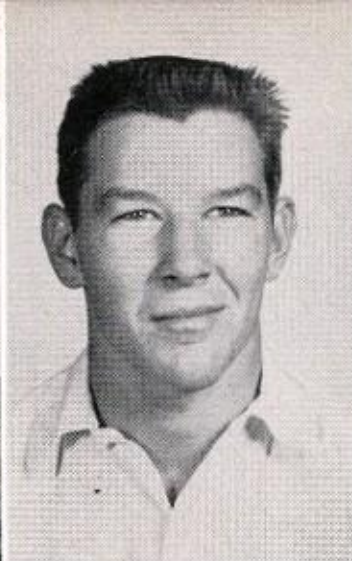
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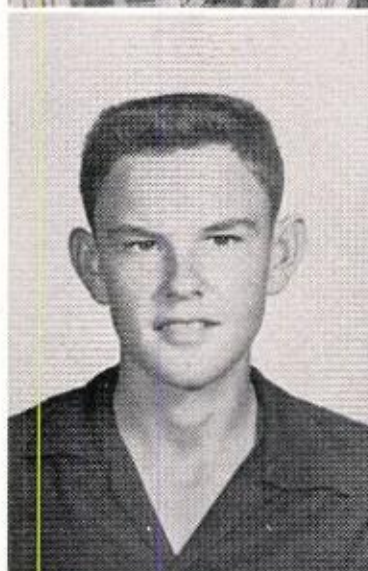
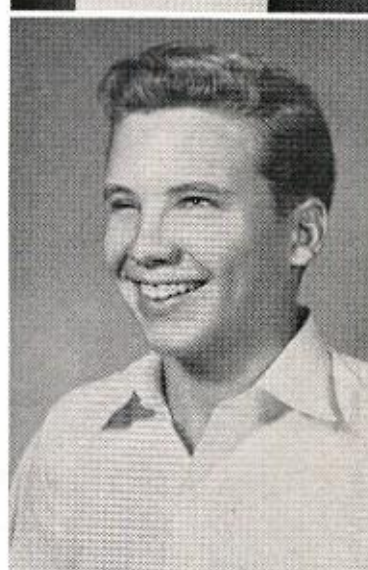
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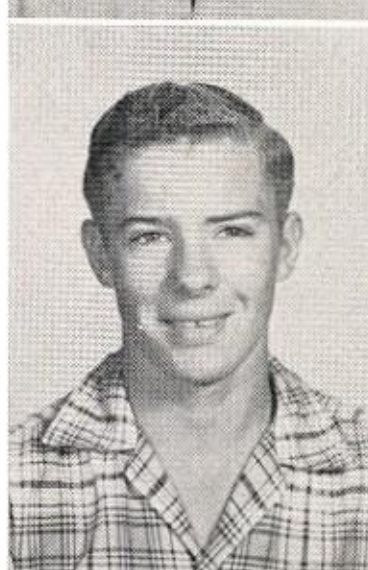
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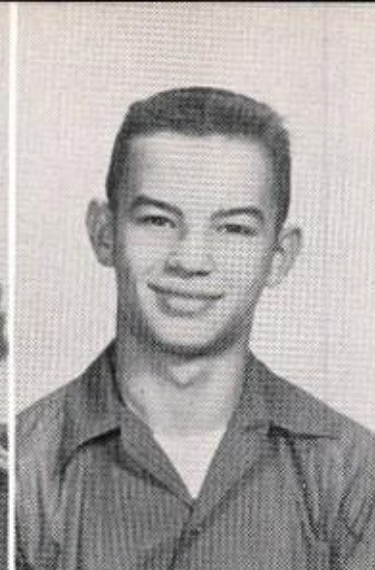
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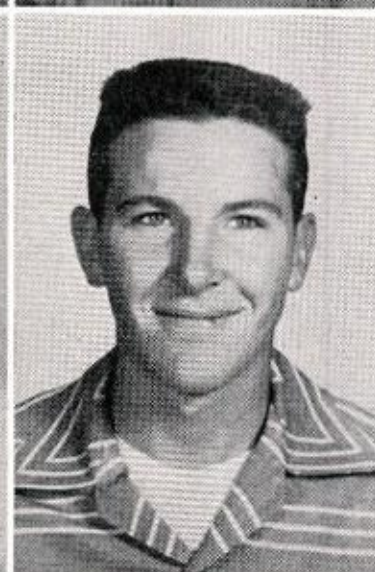
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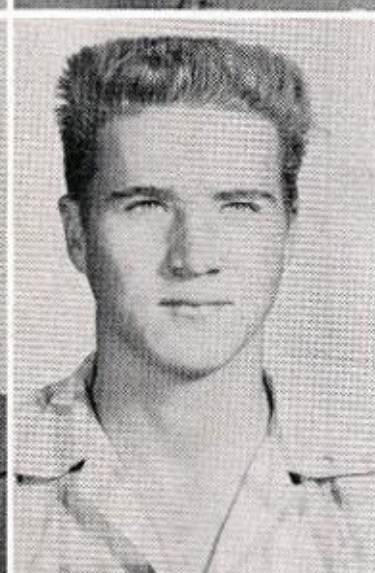
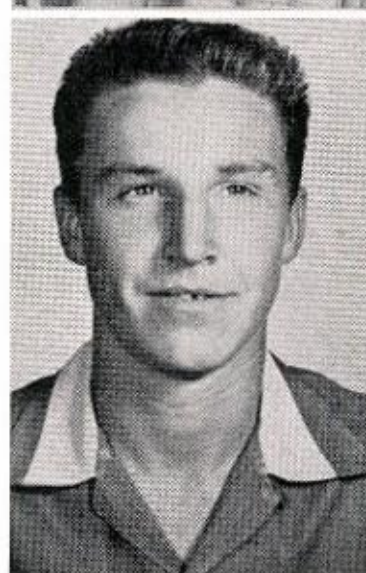
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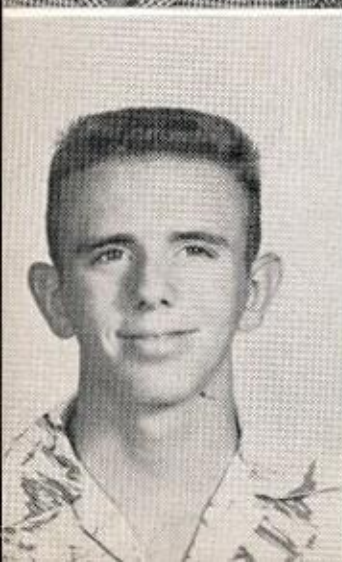
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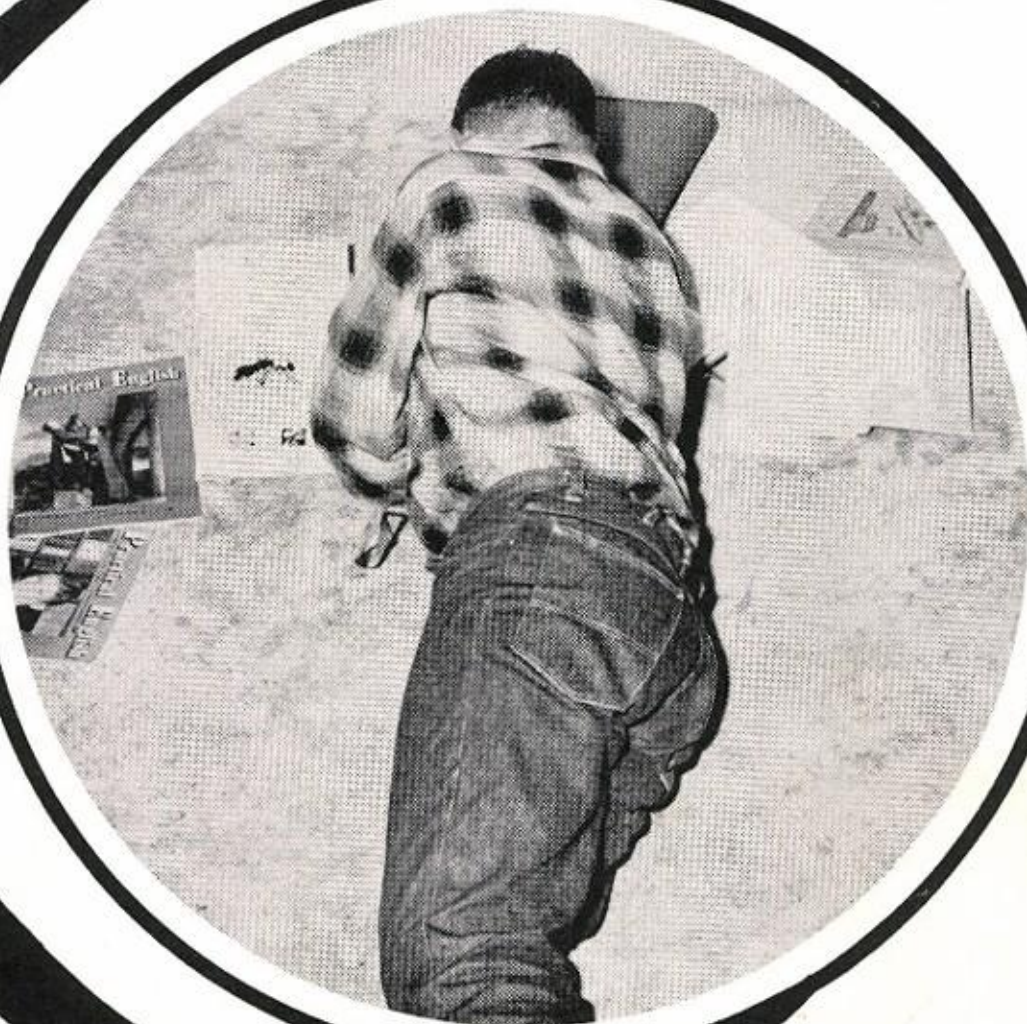


Larry Warren
David Williams

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Anita Whirley



FRESHMEN



Floor

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Winston and Mike try their hands on the drums while Dwain, Hammond and Jimmy straw boss the experiment.

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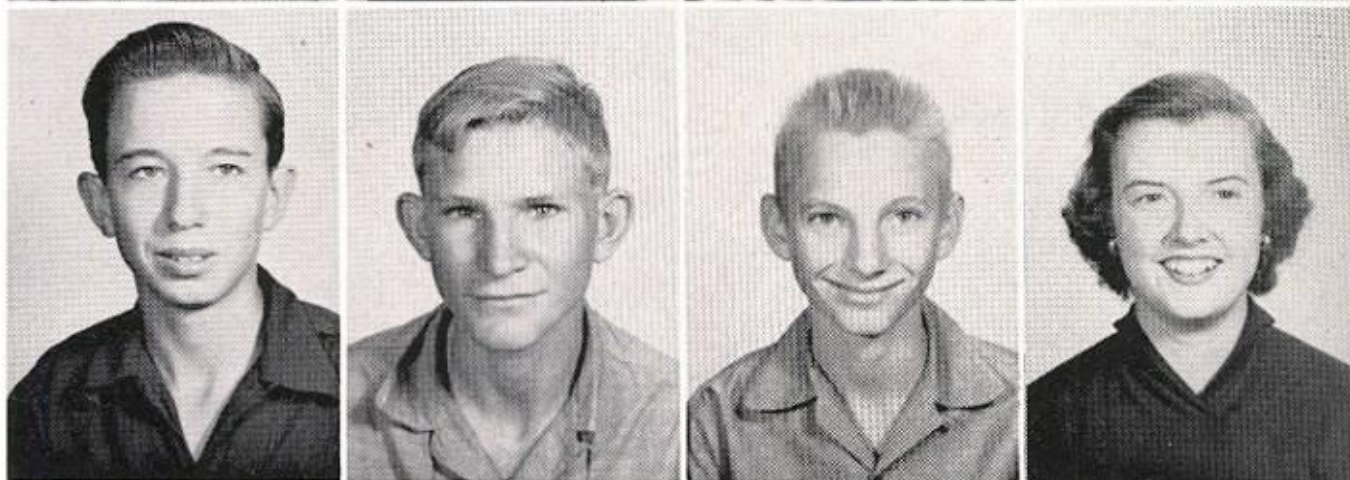
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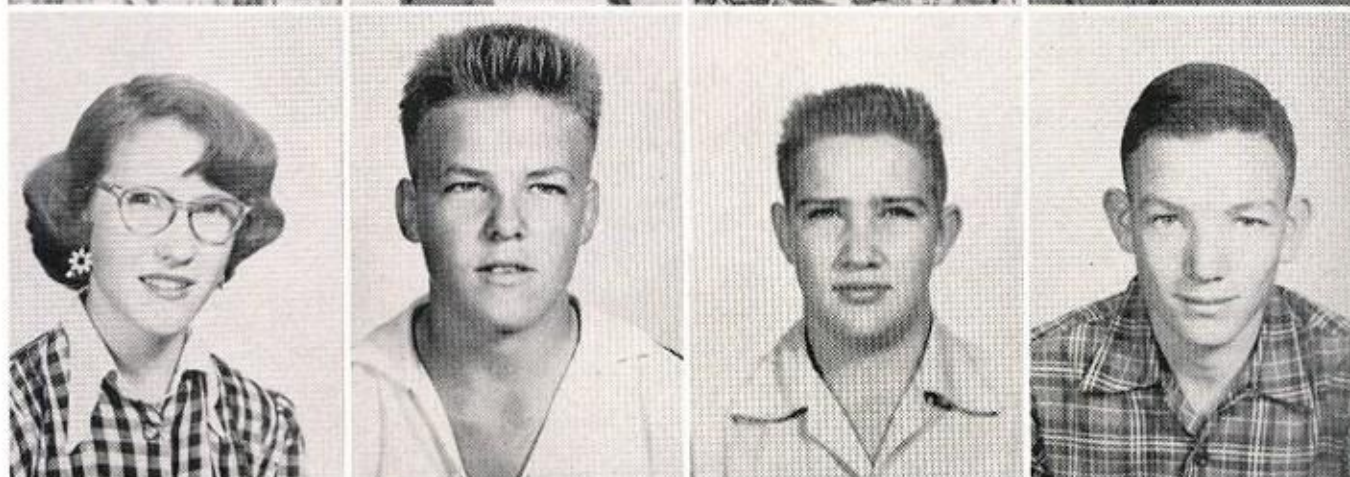
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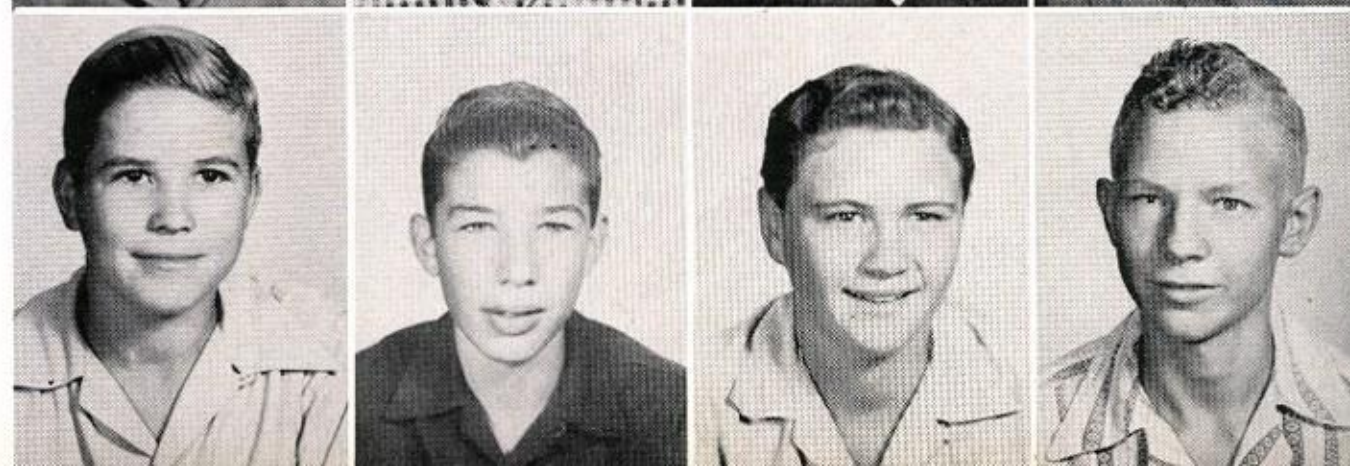
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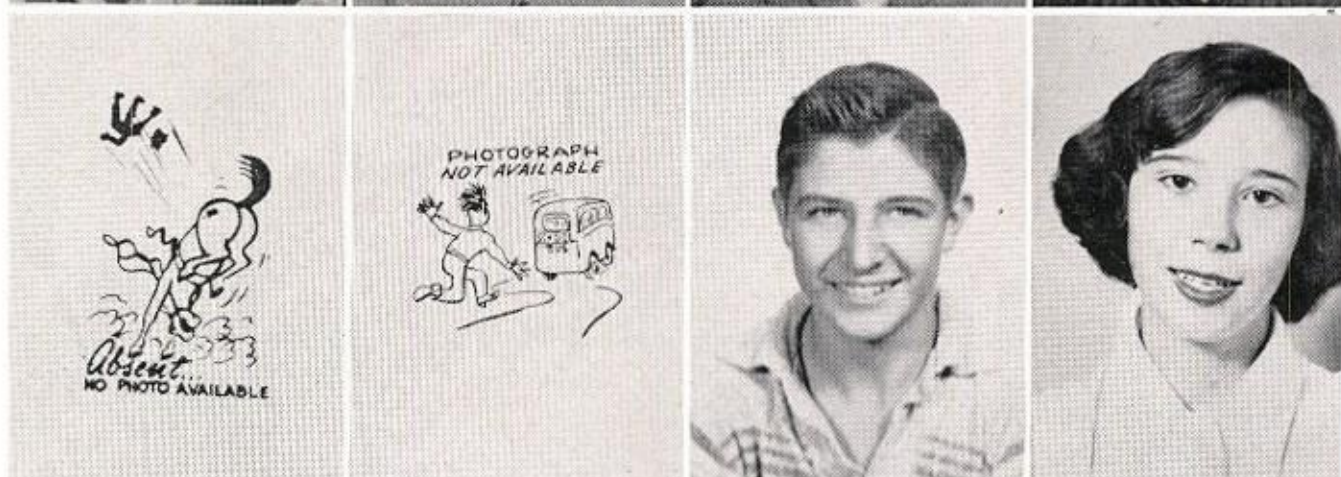
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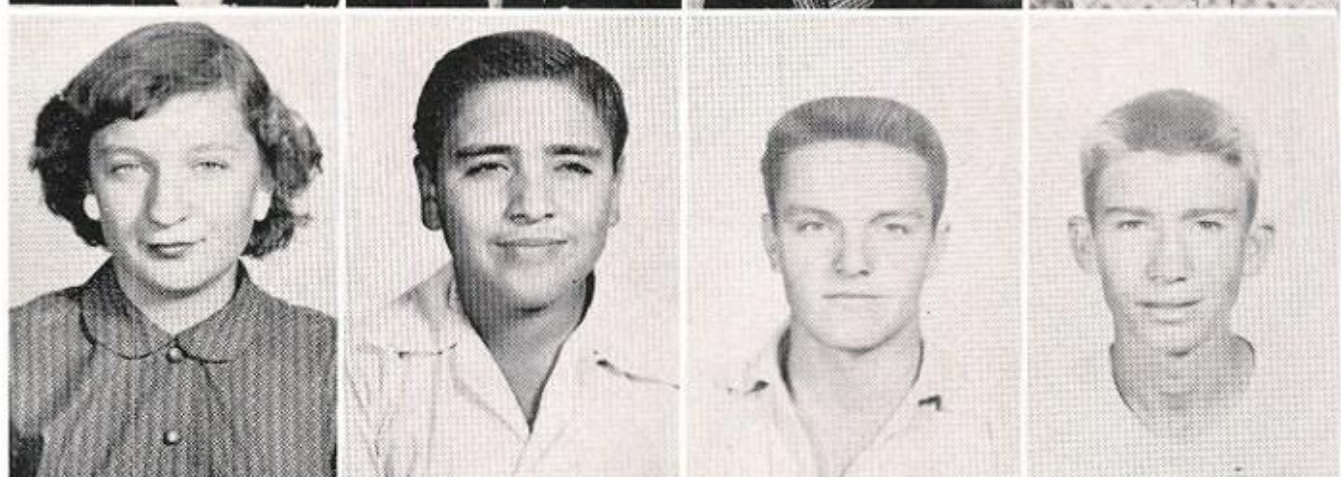
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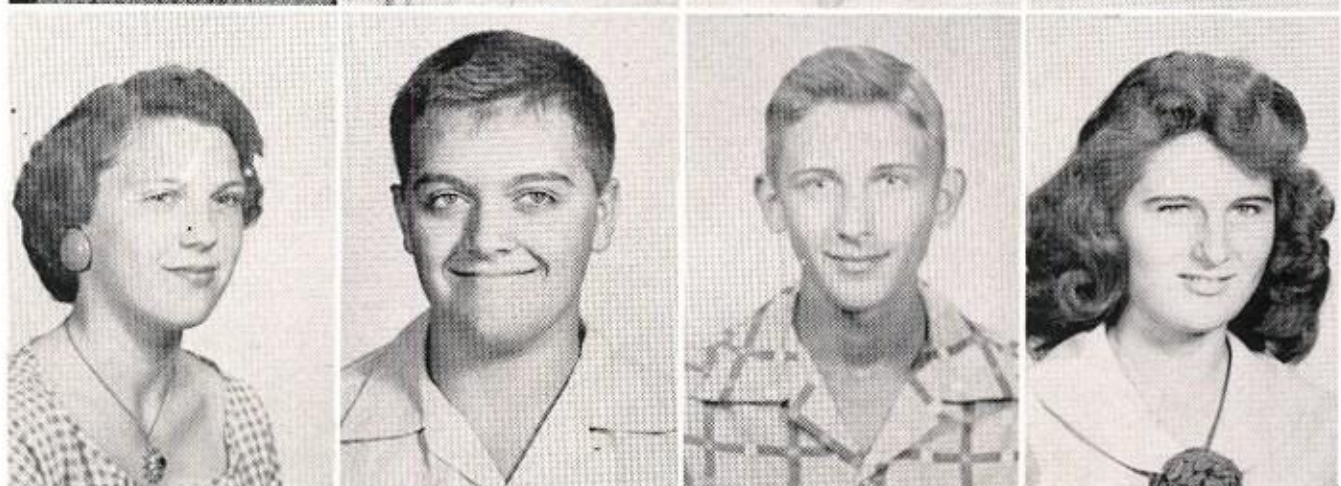
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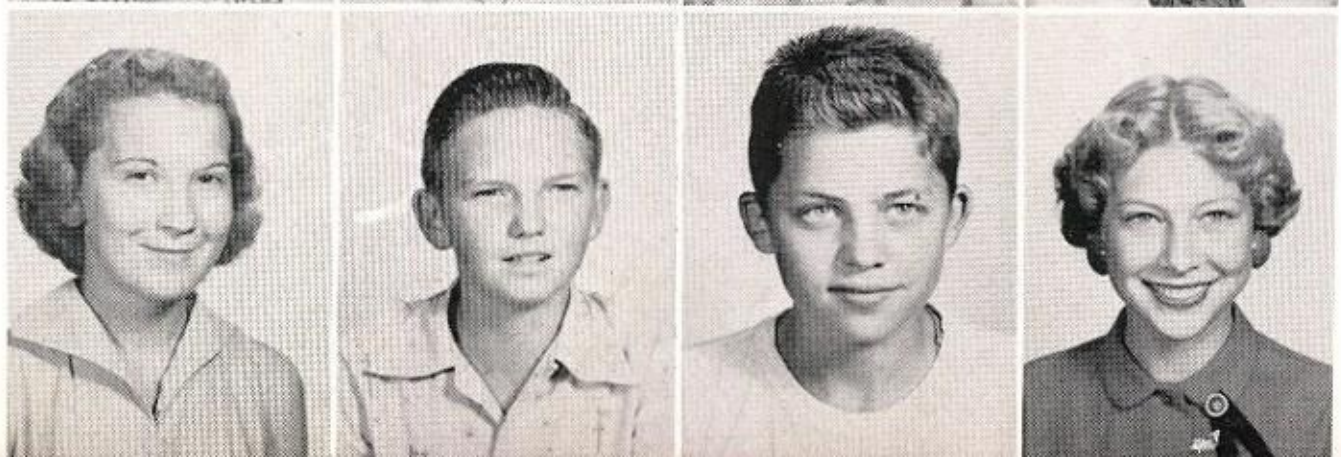
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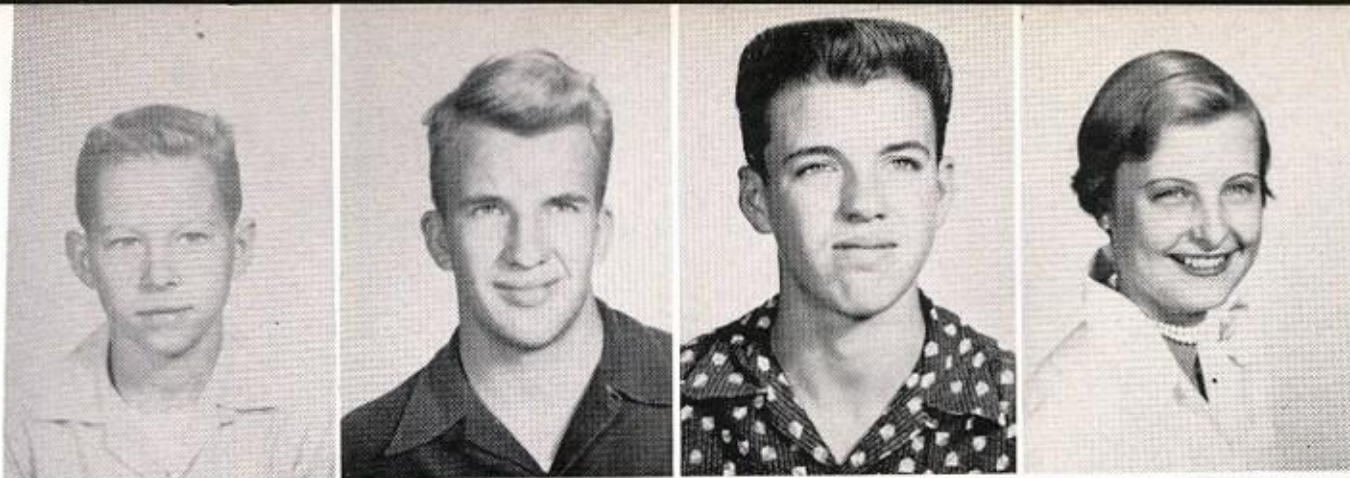


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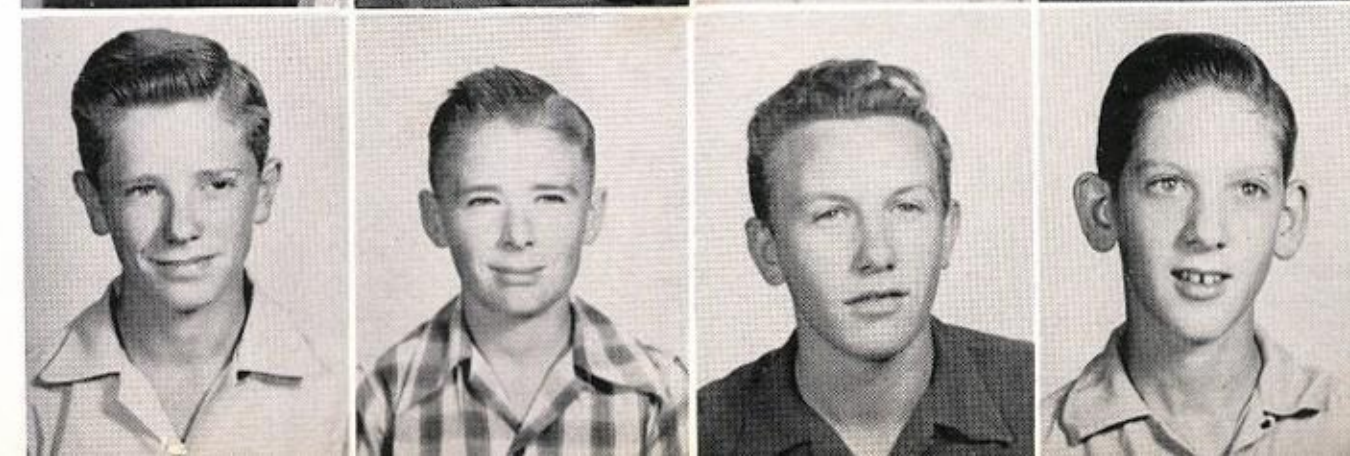
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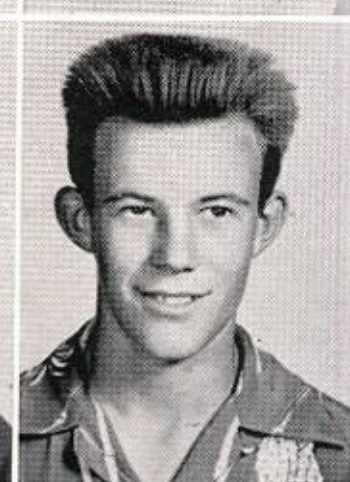
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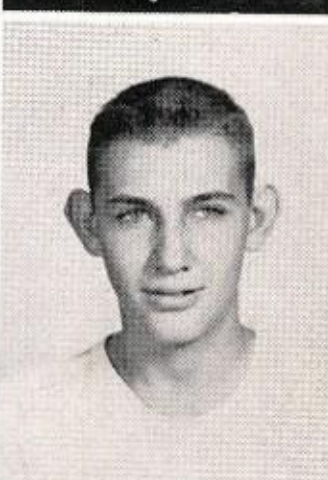
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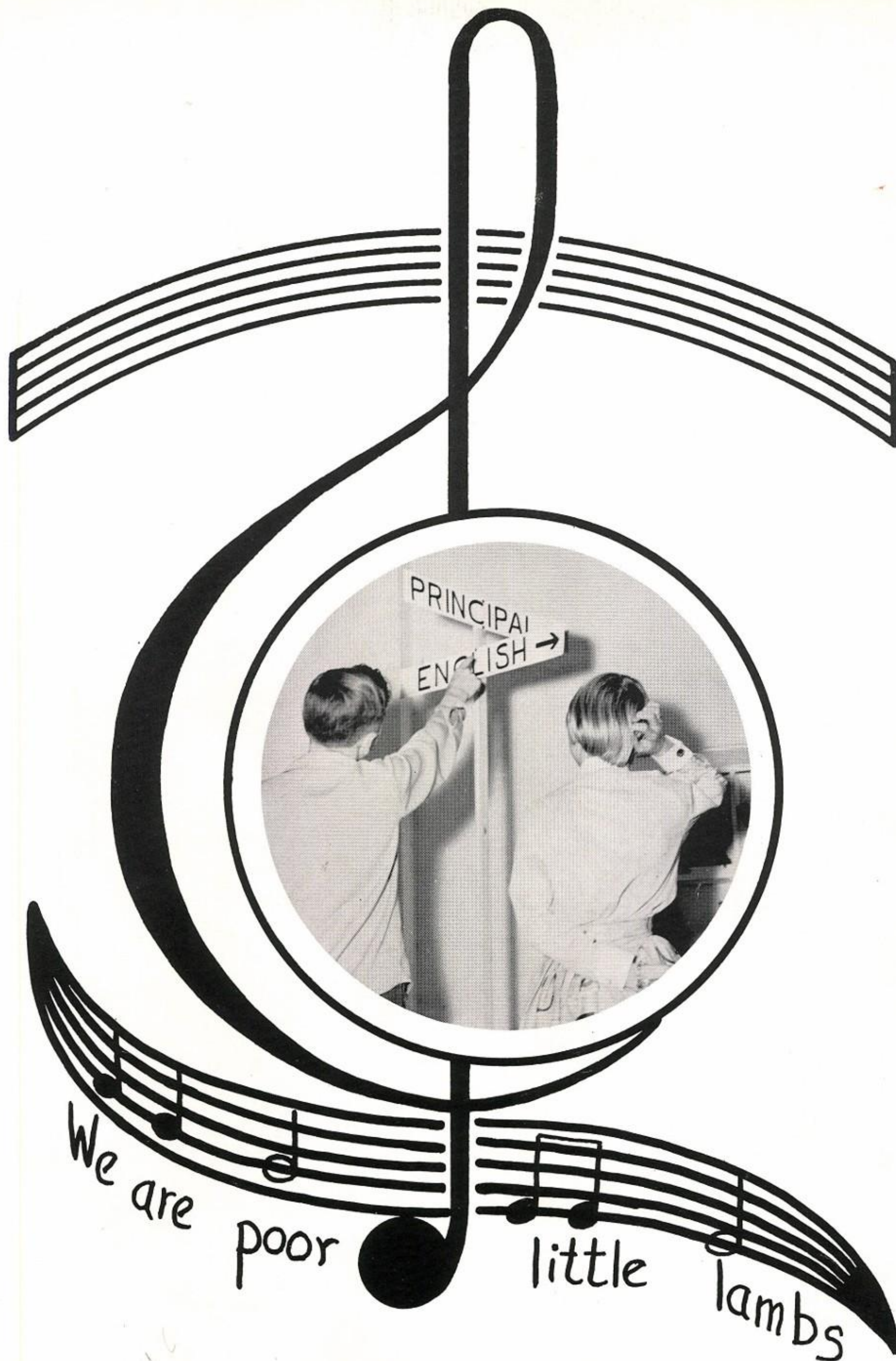


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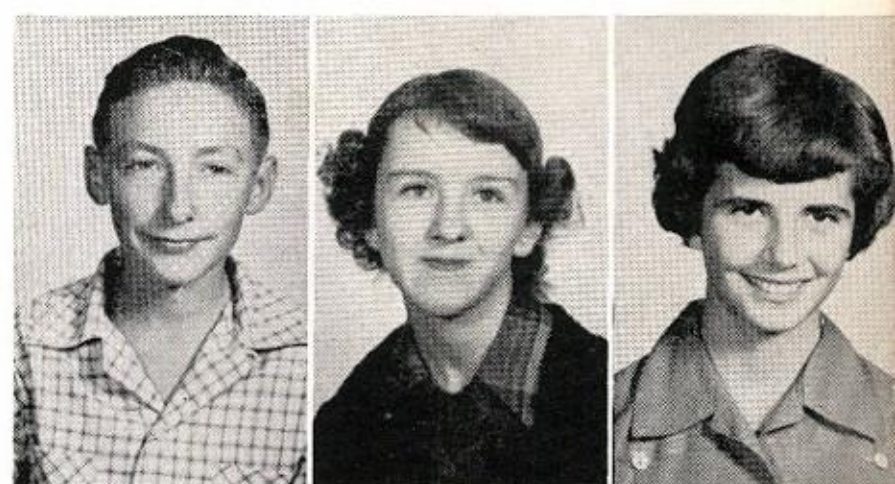


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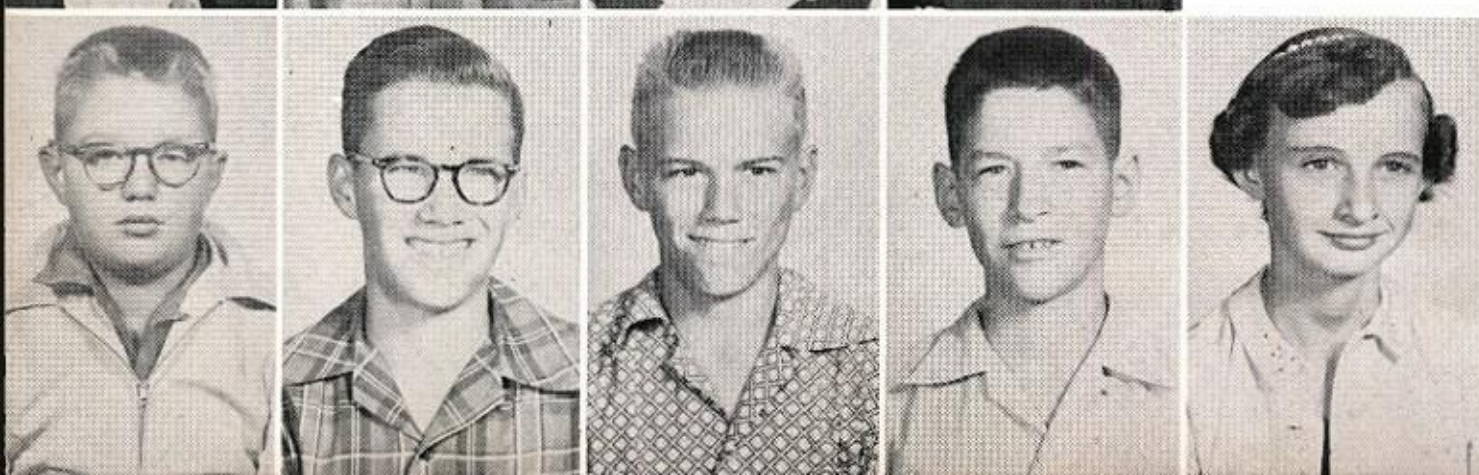
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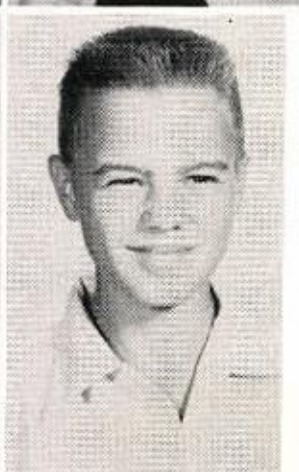
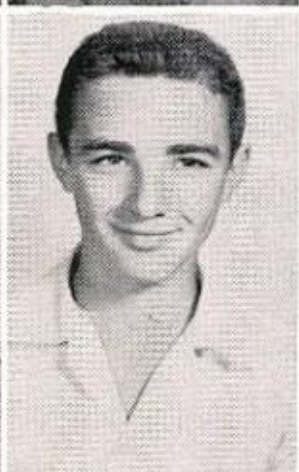




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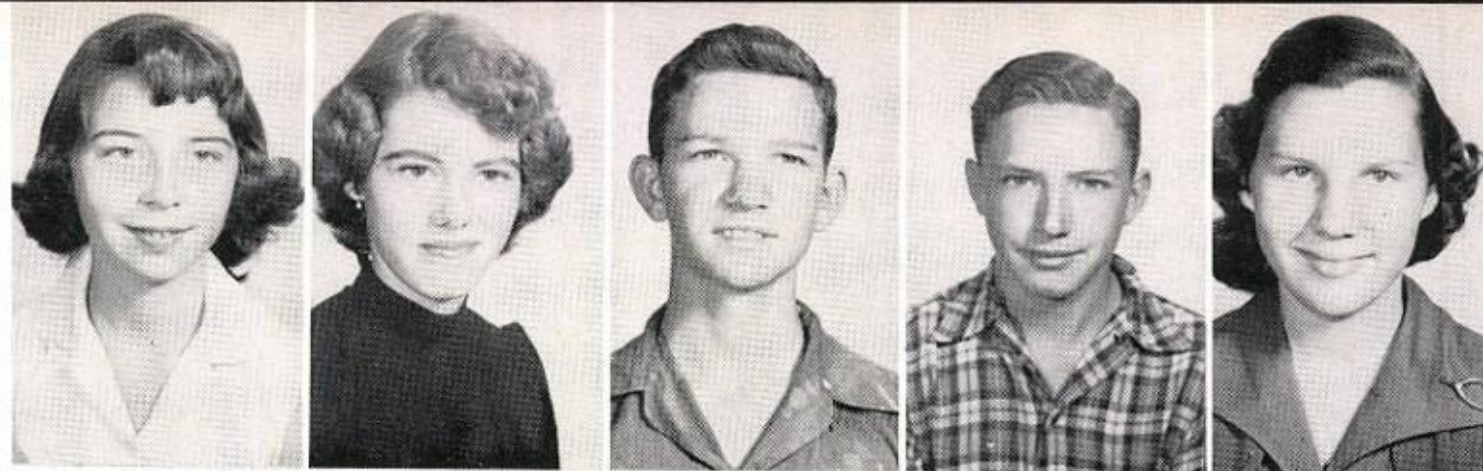
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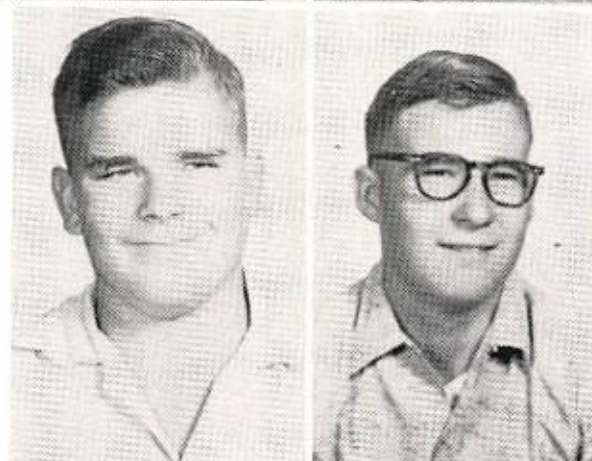
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SEVENTH GRADE



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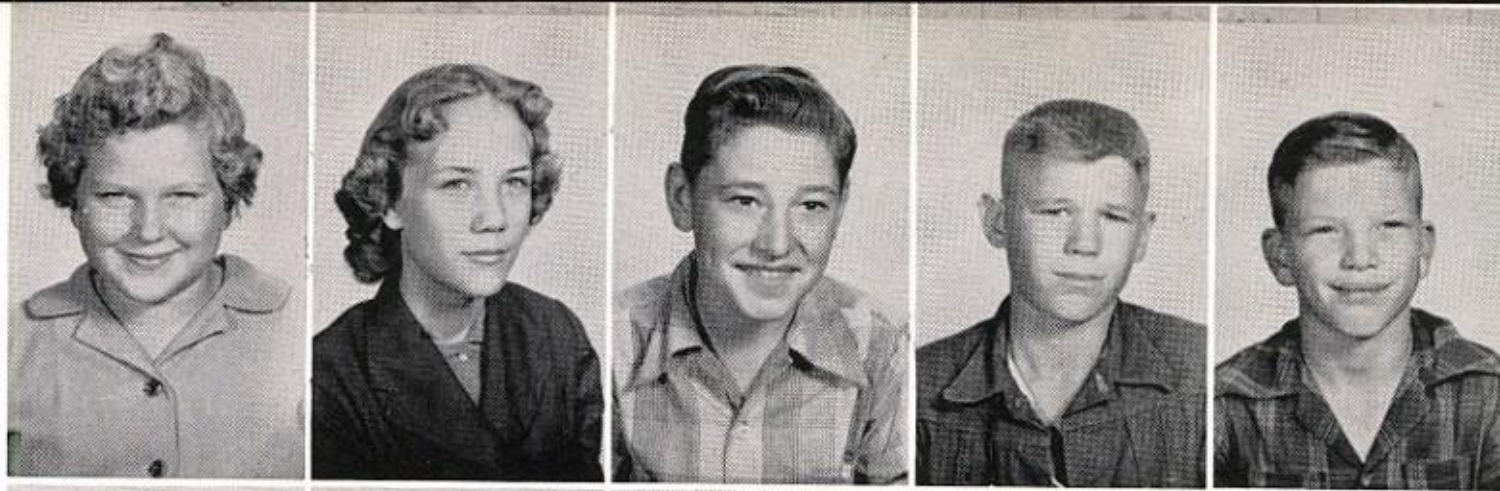
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Ragna Sullivan



Joyce Talley
Neva Lynn Teague
Willie Glenn Teel
Eugene Thompson
Wayne Turrentine



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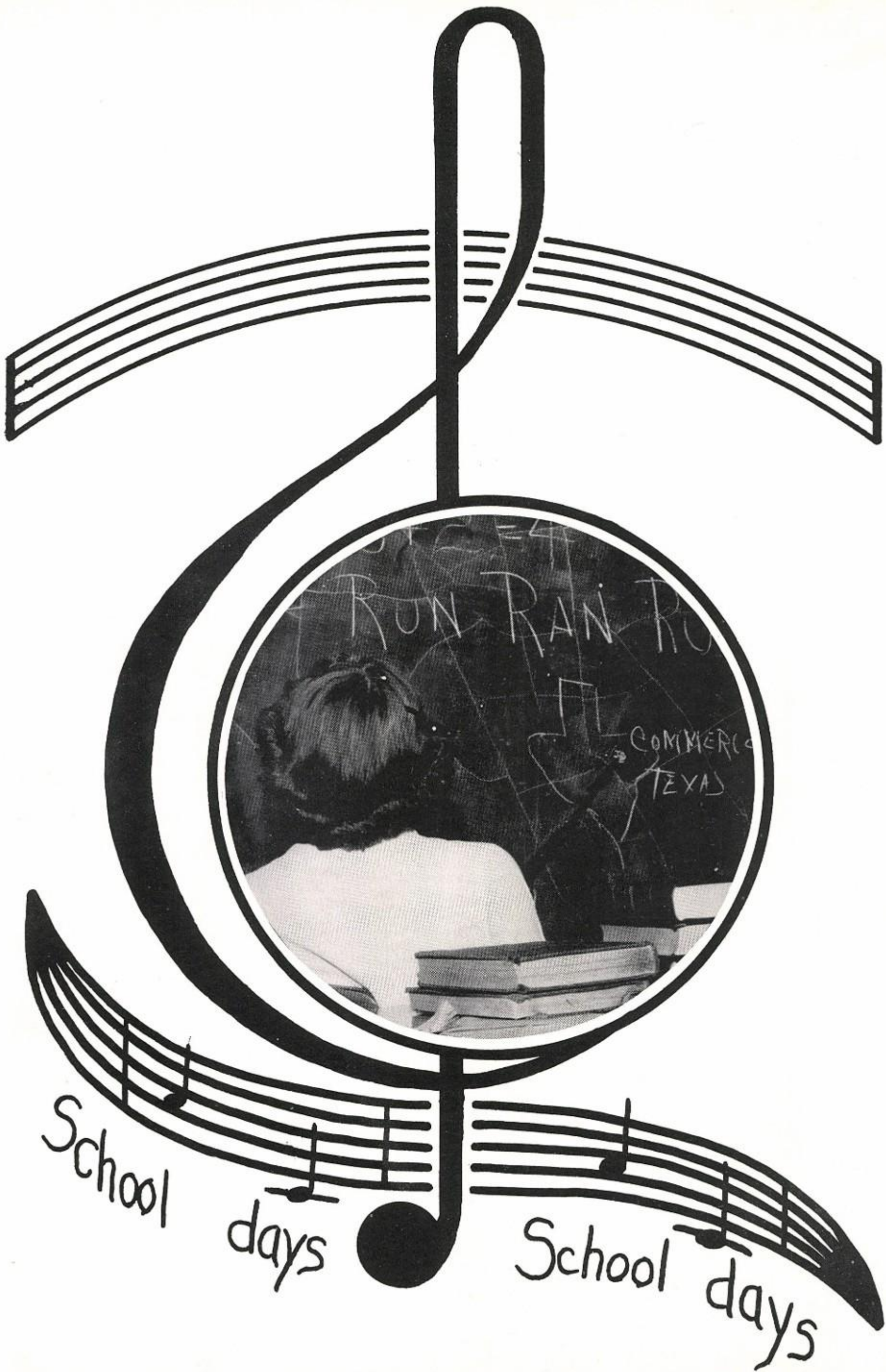
Mr. T. A. Smith, school tax collector, is shown doing one of his main jobs -- checking the books.

Planning nutritious meals in the cafeteria is the daily task of Mrs. Thelma Lytle, Mrs. Marie Jernigan, Mrs. Evelyn Hume, and Mrs. Nettie Bennington.



Combined jobs of custodians and bus drivers are the duties of Mr. Bub Kinser, Wesley Turman, George Little, Millard Parrish and Ira Vaughn.

FACULTY





Looking over mathematic booklets are teachers Miss Kate Morrison, math; Mrs. Dorothy Kennemer, Business Administration; and Mrs. Evelyn Brewer, math.

Science teacher, Mr. Lilburn Couch, studies his two feathered friends in the new CHS science laboratory.



History teachers Mr. William Terrell and Mr. L.I. Smith, Jr. take a break from teaching globe study to the American and world history students and also Junior High social studies.

Mr. G.E. Myrick, shop instructor, checks the shop supplies to see that they are in order.



Head Coach Don Short, Assistant Coach G. A. Glenn, and Girls' Physical Education teacher Mrs. Helen Ferguson discuss ordering equipment needed for the department.



Filing one of the many good books in the Library is Librarian Miss Lelah Scott.

Discussing Junior High Language Arts are Mrs. Mary Dot Adams and Mrs. Louise Fuhrmeister.





Mr. Lloyd Wilkins, agriculture instructor, points out soil components to the class.



Mr. Orville Kelley, band director, works out marching drills for exhibition.



The English department consisting of Miss Tulia Milford, Mrs. Era Standefer, Mrs. Frances Little, and Mrs. Lois Hineman, review the works of Longfellow.

ACTIVITIES





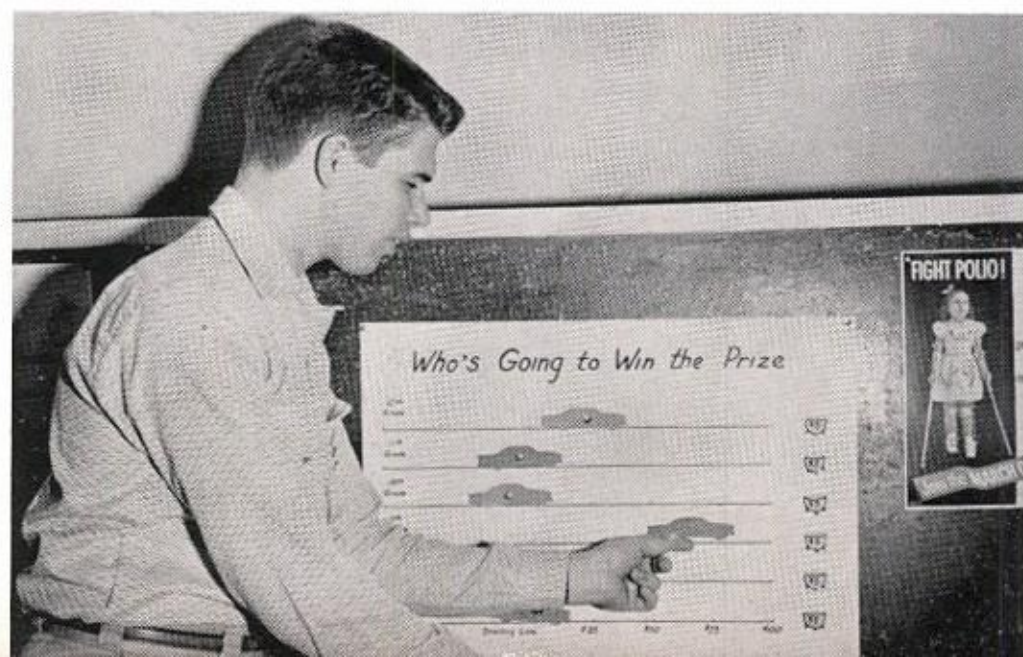
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STUDENT COUNCIL

As president of the East Texas Student Forum, the Commerce Student Council attended both the fall and spring sessions of the ETSF.

Citizenship Week, Veteran's Day exhibit, March of Dimes drive, Christmas dance and the Valentine dance were among the council's activities this year.

Bruce Hineman, the first vice president elected by the student body, puts the freshman in the lead in the Student Council March of Dimes drive.





Entertaining and education programs have been the goal of the Assembly Planning Committee this year. Programs are planned weekly except for test weeks.

Back row: Murrell Hogue, Myra Erwin, Joe Lee Goodwin, Mary Alyce King, Billy Tom Knight, Charles Carothers, Sandra Graham, Clyde Hooten, Johnny Heath, Mrs. Max Evelyn Brewer, Co-Sponsor. Middle row: Mrs. Era Standfer, Co-Sponsor, Bob Russell, Elizabeth Taylor, Curtis Shuler, Sandra Scott, Shirley Wortman, J. C. Martinez. Front row: Janet Mattingly, Patricia Patton and Barbara Shields.

A.P.C.

One of the outstanding assemblies of the year was the Mt. Pleasant all-girl choir, directed by Mr. Lee Gray.





Carolyn Brown
Editor

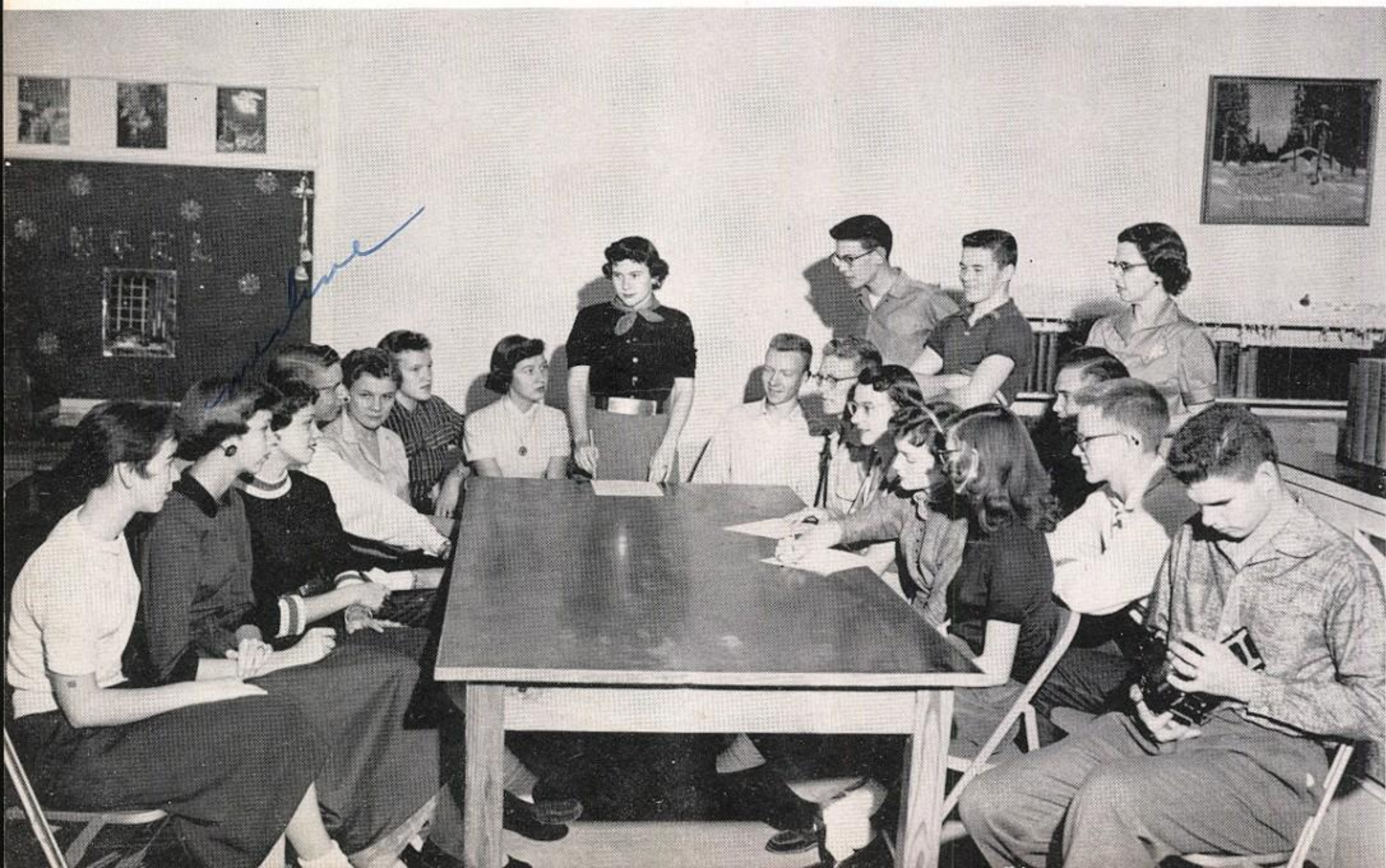
TIGER TIPS, official publication of Commerce Public Schools, is headed this year by-----

Betty Roderick
Business Manager



Tiger Tips

Left to right: Nancy Scott, Merlene Presley, Janet Estes, Joe Saylor, Gail Bell, Betty Roderick, Carolyn England, Carolyn Brown, Donald Timberlake, Franklin Stooksberry, Jo Anne Gray, Sally Ryan, Jayne Brannom, Bob Lemon, Harold Matthews, Mrs. Lois Hineman, Benny Brand, Jimmy Raynes, and Bruce Hineman.



THSPA DELEGATES

Tiger Tips and Sregit staff members attended the annual Texas High School Press Association in Denton, December 3-4. Happy because of winning an All-Texas rating for the paper are Mrs. Helen Ferguson, Carolyn England, Gail Bell, Sally Ryan, Carolyn Brown, Curtis Shuler, Betty Roderick, Janice Hamm, Fay Nell Presley, JoAnne Gray, Janet Estes, Merlene Presley, Jerry Hendrix, Bob Lemon, Franklin Stooksberry, Joe Saylor, Jimmy Raynes, Harold Matthews and Bruce Hine-man.



Ooo, La, La! Men staying in a girl's dorm! It was perfectly legal, for Sayers Hall was turned over to THSPA boy delegates.



TIPS SPONSORS COLOR DAY

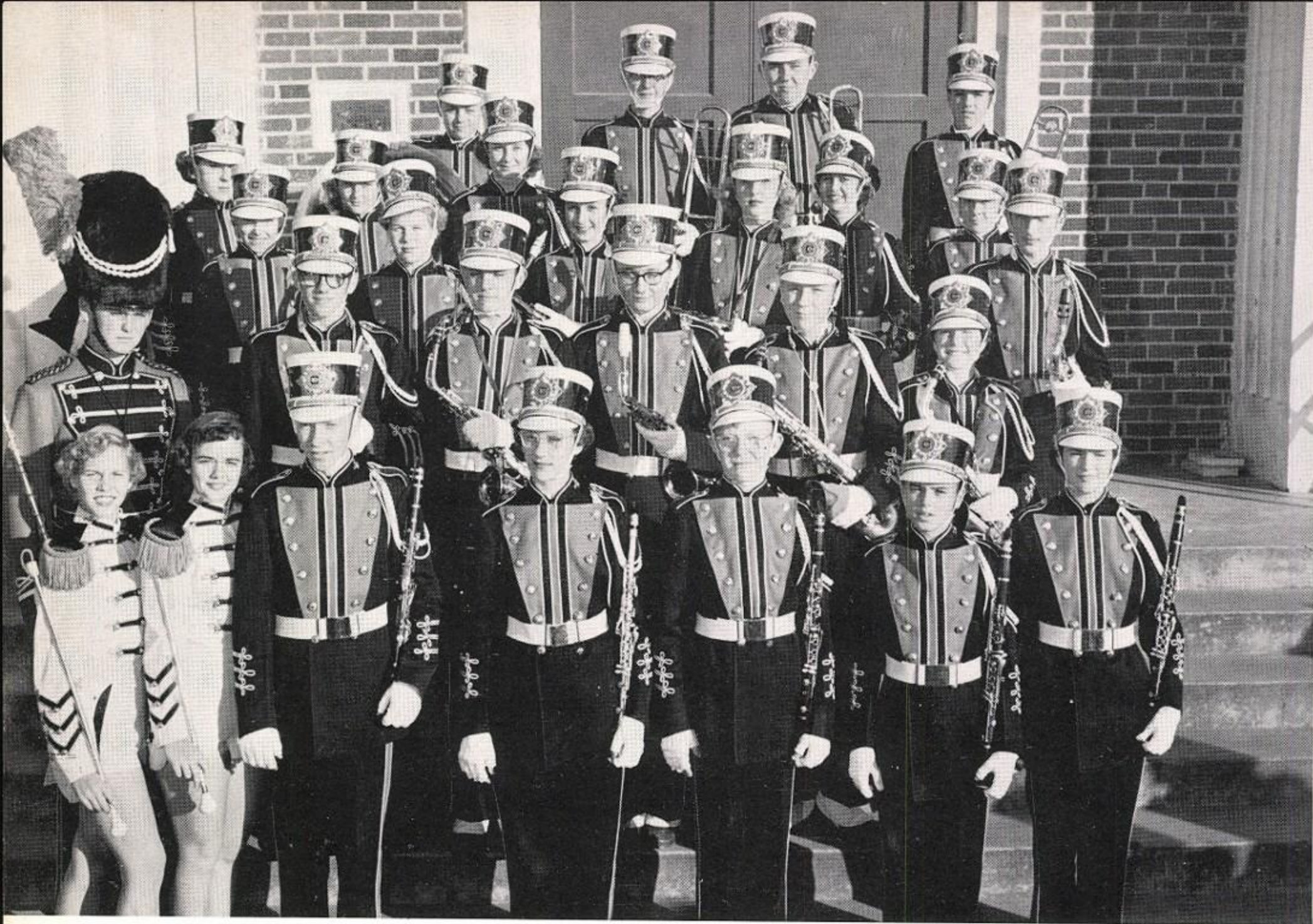
Judy McNatt, receives the grand prize - an orange tied with black ribbon. Merlene Presley, general chairman of the day's activities, and Bruce Hineman, emcee of the variety show, make the presentation, January 11.



CHRISTMAS GAIETY

All work and no play makes dull journalists. Here, the gang and dates get together for a holiday snack and wisecracks at their sponsor's home.





First row: Mary Lou Bankhead, Verta Gentry, Donald Timberlake, Jo Anne Gray, David Clements, Bill Russell and Jo Beth Boyd. Second row: Drum Major, Benny Brand; Carlson Mercer, Mike King, Billy Tom Knight, Billy Timberlake and Anne Stienhiemer. Third row: Martha Sanders, Johnny Sue Bankhead, Barbara Shields, Louise Rector, Charlene Short, Richard Davis and Lewis Myrick. Fourth row: Ann Langley, Norma Farmer, Mike Oglesby, Dian Hawkins, Bobby Myers, Bobby England and Don Peek.

C.H.S.



These officers take care of the business end of the CHS band. Director Orville Kelly and Verta Gentry, secretary, first row. Bill Holley, President; Jo Anne Gray, Vice President; Donald Timberlake, Student Conductor and Reporter; and Benny Brand, Drum Major and Historian.



First row: Linda Mercer, Wanda Cates, Sara Wheatley, Wanda Kinser, June Cooper, Diane Patterson and Shirley Wortman. Second row: Odeana McFadden, Shirley Howard, Sue Ragland, Dian Blankenship, Larry Odam, Sharon Anderson, and Director Orville Kelly. Third row: Mary Alyce King, Billy Kennedy, Joe Saylor, Bill Sheeley, Bill Holley, Jimmy Hawkins, Mike Atkins and Wayne Hefley. Fourth row: Jerry Speight, Barbara Hinton, Al Ganou Gounah, Ann Smith, Rose Lemon, Lana Davis and David Elkins.

BAND

First division winners in Class "A" Marching Contest held in Tyler.

SLICK CHICKS is the name for these pert young ladies. All four of these girls stepped out in front of the CHS band for the first time this year. Left to right: Shirley Wortman, Verta Gentry, Juniors; and Diane Patterson, Mary Lou Bankhead, Sophomores.



JUNIOR BAND



Back row, seated left to right: Mary Beth Robnett, Diane Warren, Thelma Eudy, Kathryn Sands, Franklin King, Richard Davis, Norma Farmer, Kerdeene Jackson, Charlene Berry, John Stone, Gary Lee Moore, Maxine Pope, Larry Carr, Billy Quisenberry, Charles Wrisner. Front row: Karen Brown, Barbara Fite, Judy Harbour, Janice Farler, Douglas Cooper, Diann Blankenship, Shirley Howard and Linda Mercer.

CHEER

BEVERLY LYTTLE



LEADERS

GAIL BELL



YEA, TIGERS!



JANE BICKLEY

ANNETTE HARBOUR



HELEN BENNINGTON



DONNA PARRIS



Back row: S. Loring, S. Scott, A. Marriott, W. Spurlock, M. Hennin, B. Ketner, J. Mayes, L. Walker, I. Miller, A. Lindsey, D. Talley, E. Taylor, G. Farrell, V. Traylor, B. Lytle, J. Estes, A. McCluer, S. Wheatley, B. Wilson. Middle row: Miss Juanita Spinks, Sponsor; J. Fowler, B. Yarbrough, N. Walls, A. Rimmer, J. B. Boyd, S. Ragland, R. Lemon, J. A. Allen, V. Julian, J. A. Gray, A. Webb, A. Clark, B. Shields, J. Cooper, M. Ward, K. Philpot, Miss Robbie Finch, Sponsor. Front row: L. Sharpe, R. Scroggins, B. Oldham, L. Moore, F. N. Presley, S. Echart, D. Hawkins, M. Erwin, B. Simms, M. Julian, M. Painter.

F.H.A.

OFFICERS

Elizabeth Taylor-	Vice President
Veta Julian-	President
Kathryn Philpot-	Secretary
Linda Walker-	Reporter
Ann Lindsey-	Parliamentarian
Verta Gentry-	Historian
Barbara Simms-	Pianist
Denzel Talley-	Treasurer
Sandra Scott-	Song Leader
Donna Parris-	Sergeant-at-Arms





Wrapping grab-bags for the FHA booth at the Harvest Festival are Helen Bennington, Sally Hardigree, Sue Ragland, Irene Miller, Kathryn Philpot, Miss Robbie Finch, Ragene Scrogings, Miss Juanita Spinks, June Cooper and Jeanine Roundtree.



The front hall was the scene for registration for the District FHA Meeting in Commerce, November 13.

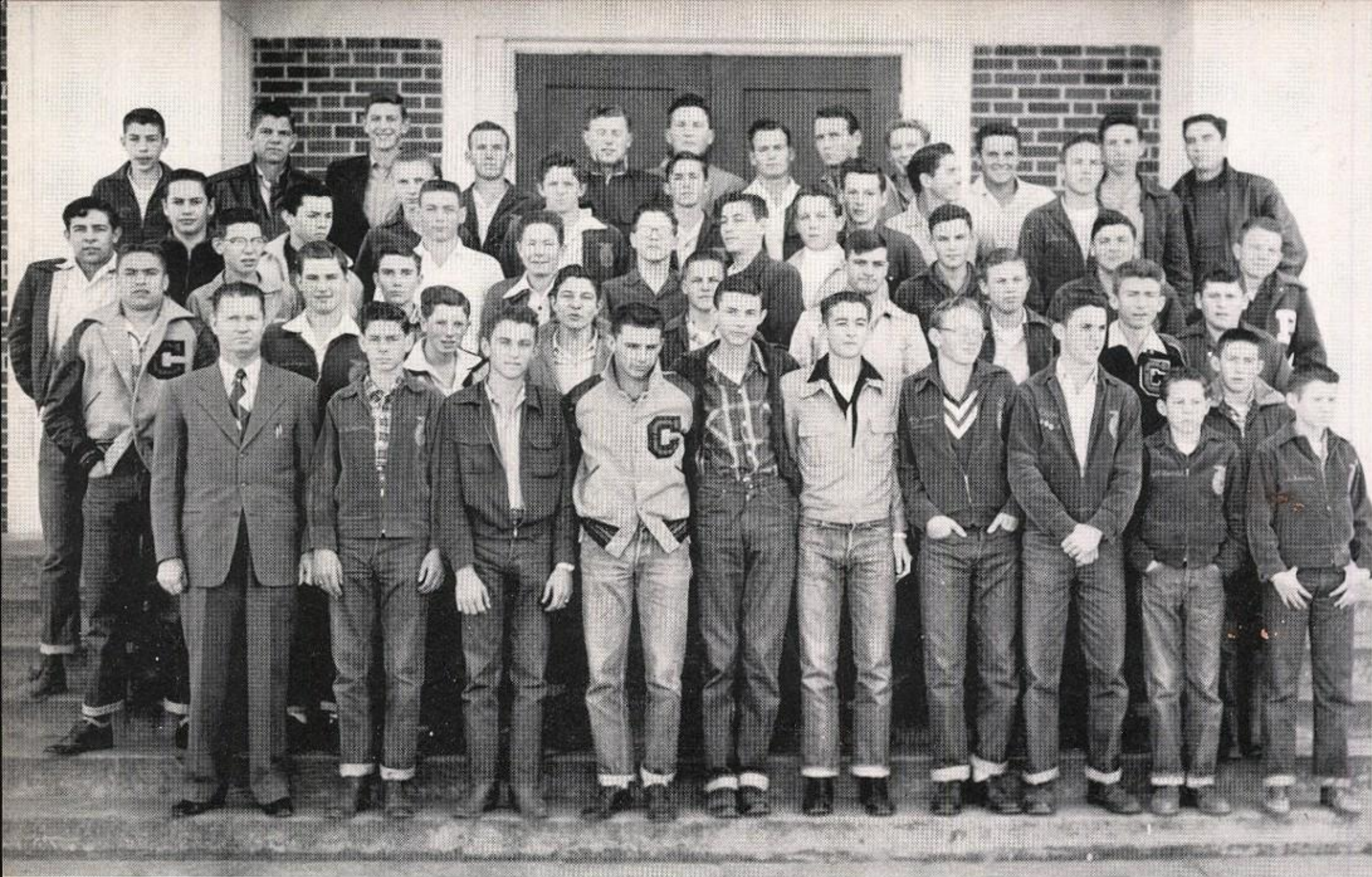


Second year homemakers prepare to eat turkey and dressing and all the trimmings at their pre-Christmas dinner, December 15.



Helen Bennington and Nelda Letherwood learn to change sheets on a bed while patient, Betty Day looks on.





First row: Mr. Lloyd Wilkins, D. Williams, J. Keeble, E. Holley, J. Goodwin, T. Hanes, B. Creamer, V. Williams, D. Parrish, B. Daniels. Second row: W. Hill, M. Hogue, R. White, K. Boles, C. Robnett, E. Mobley, R. Sansing, W. McCasland, G. Raynes, B. Lemons, W. Langley, T. Cargile, J. Moore, B. Scott, C. Smith, W. Hefley, G. Rainy, W. Wade, B. Wilson, D. Lawrance, M. Cavis, H. Luckett, W. Dunn, W. Hettich, J. Smith. Third row: H. Heath, B. Horton, M. Wood, H. Moore, J. Hamlin, K. Shuler, B. Daniels, W. Smithey, D. Belcher, D. Merrell, G. McCasland, B. Riddle.



FFA OFFICERS

President- - - - -	Emmett Owens
Vice President- - - - -	Glen Kibler
Second Vice President- - - - -	Willie Romans
Third Vice President- - - - -	Clarence Moore
Secretary- - - - -	Jerry Keeble
Reporters- - - - -	Terry Hanes
	Joe Goodwin
Parliamentarian- - - - -	David Williams
Historian- - - - -	Lynn Hefley
Sentinel- - - - -	Vern Williams
Advisor- - - - -	Mr. Lloyd Wilkins

FFA activities for the '54-'55 school year included leadership quiz contests and grass, livestock, dairy, poultry and dairy products judging contests.

The Commerce Chapter attended the Texas State Fair, Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show, and FFA camp at Lake Texoma. They also had a weiner roast in the fall.

During FFA week the annual Father-Son Banquet was held, and they also sponsored a basketball game between the faculty members and senior boys.

Mr. Lloyd Wilkins and the Greenhand leadership quiz team, George Raynes, Ben Riddle, Keith Shuler and Wayne Hefley, show the first place banner they won in the area five contests held in Denton. The team also won seventh place in state at Huntsville.



Displaying the FFA emblem are the officers of the Commerce chapter, Emmett Owens, Glen Kibler, Jerry Keeble, Bobby Creamer, Terry Hanes, David Williams, Willie Romans, Vern Williams, Clarence Moore, Joe Lee Goodwin, Lynn Hefley and Mr. Wilkins, Advisor.

Emmett Owens, FFA President, presents Janet Estes, Chapter Sweetheart, with a traditional white sweetheart jacket at a FFA meeting. Janet was runner-up for district sweetheart.





Standing: Mrs. Frances Little, Sponsor; Kathleen Clements, Marita Julian, Ragene Scroggins, Elizabeth Taylor, Betty Jones, Mildred Teel, Jeannie Fowler, and Larry Warren. Seated: Officers: Elizabeth Channon, Gayle Shumate, Glendon Lemon, Sally Hardegree, Kathryn Philpot and Barbara Busby.

SPANISH CLUB



OFFICERS

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 Glendon Lemon
 Vice President
 Sally Hardegree
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 Barbara Busby
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SPORTS

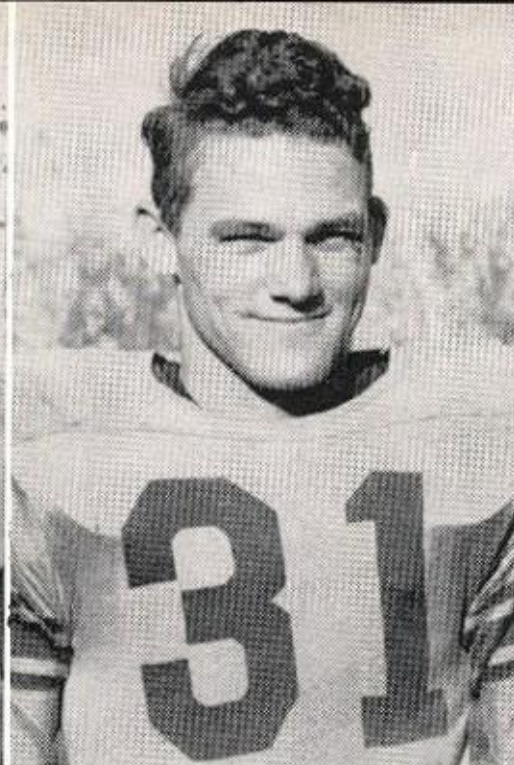


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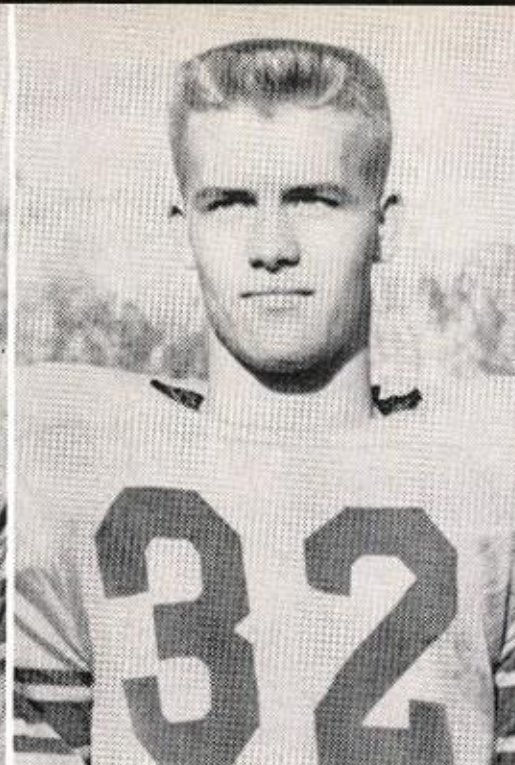
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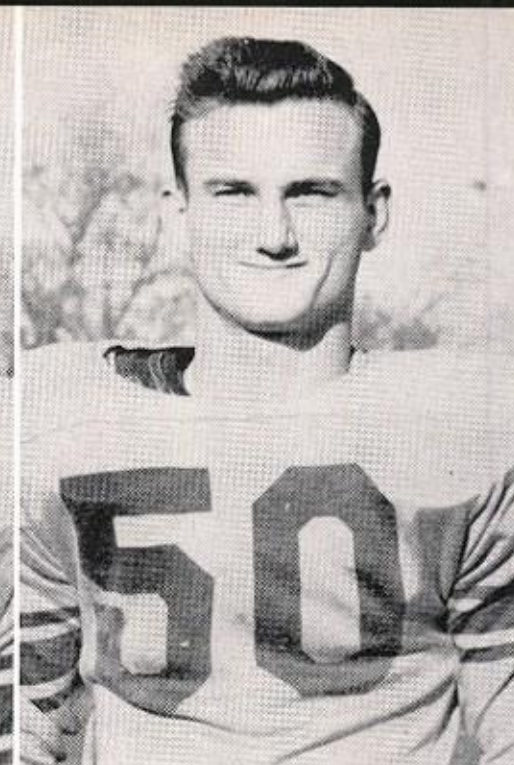
EARNEST HOLLEY
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JOHNNY MOORE
Halfback



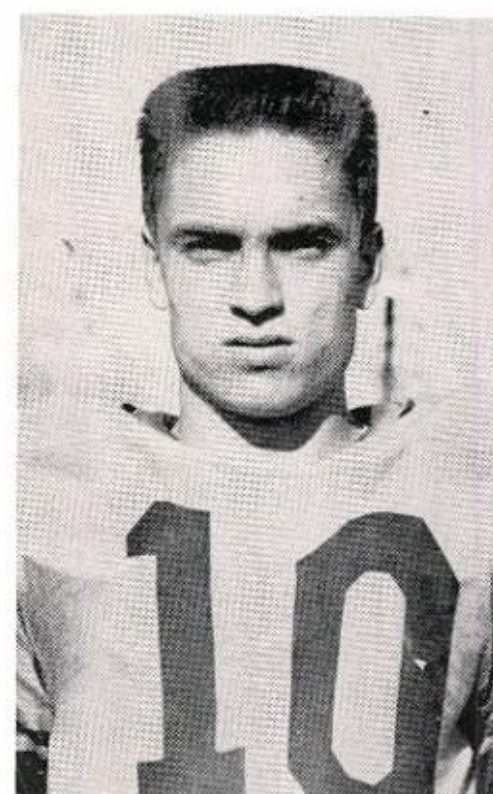
RONNY PARRIS
Quarterback



LUTHER WRIGHT
Fullback

SENIOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS

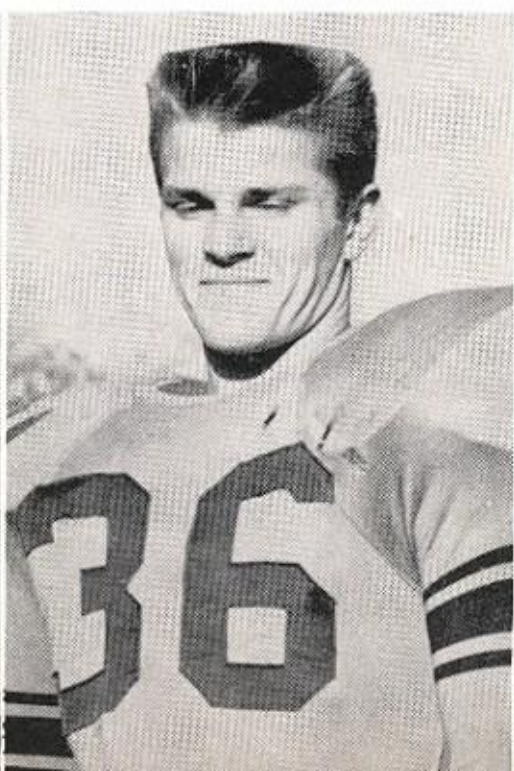
WILLIE HILL
Halfback



HAROLD MATTHEWS
Guard



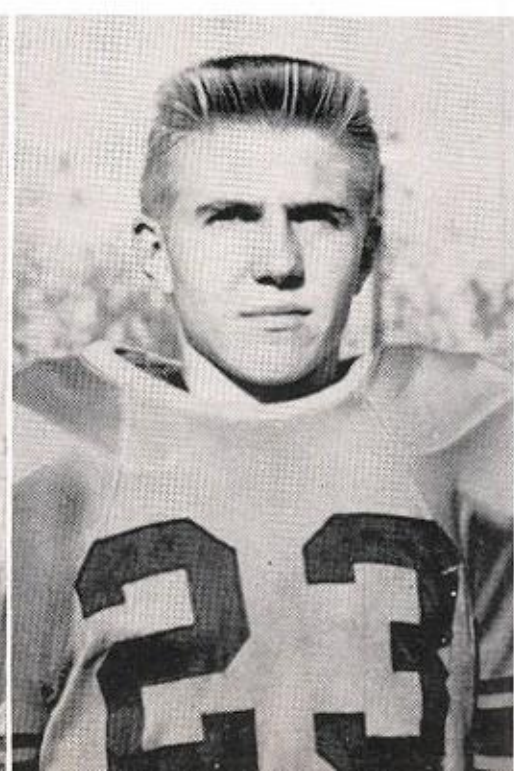
JAMES MERRILL
End



CRAIG WALLACE
Tackle



GLEN KIBLER
End



GUARDS

RIGHT: Bottom row: Ladayne Johnson, Jerry Bankhead, Harold Matthews, and Bobby Killingsworth.

Top row: Harold Moore, Lupe Martinez, Billy Follis, Larry Gayler, and Kenneth Boles.



ENDS

LEFT: Bottom row: Glen Kibler, Mac Stingier, Earnest Holley, and Jackie Spring.

Top row: Craig Wallace, James Kelley, James Merrell, John Rainbolt, and Neal Stewart.

TACKLES

RIGHT: Bottom row: Billy Horton, Keith Shuler, Murrell Hogue, and Billy Peek.

Top row: Jerry Murphy, Lynn Hefley, Charles Blanton, and Billy Talley.



BACKS

LEFT: Bottom row: John Joynes, Luther Wright, Ronny Parris, Johnny Moore, and Kenneth Foust.

Top row: Milton McClung, Jerry Hendrix, Willie Hill, Charles Brown, Terry Hanes, and Clarence Moore.

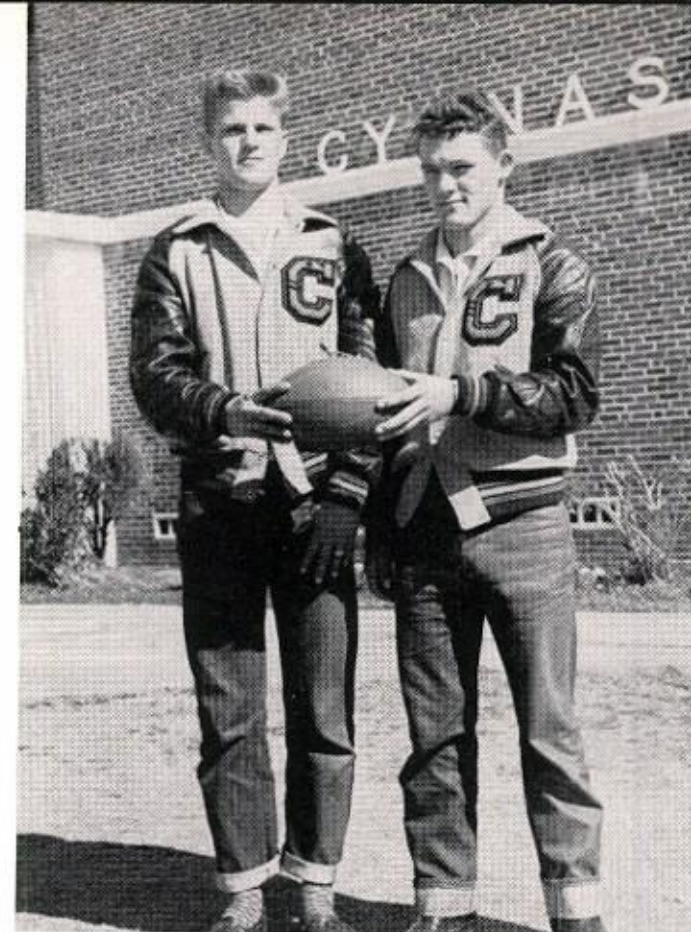


CENTERS

Mack Stringer, James Cameron and Timothy Brewer.

CO-CAPTAINS

Elected by the senior players to be co-captains for the year are James Merrell and Johnny Moore.



LETTERMEN

Top row: Coach Don Short, Harold Matthews, Milton McClung, Jerry Hendrix, Jackie Spring, Ladayne Johnson, Charles Brown and Coach G. A. Glenn. Second row: Ronny Parris, Jerry Bankhead, Don Wilson, Tim Brewer, Charles Blanton, Lupe Martinez, Harold Pemberton and Bob Brackeen. Third row: James Busby, James Cameron, Bob Killingsworth, John Rainbolt, James Kelley, Lynn Hefley and Bubs Talley. Front row: Luther Wright, Ernest Holley, John Moore, Beverly Lytle, Gail Bell, Carolyn Brown, James Merrell, Craig Wallace and Willie Hill.

Discussing plays at workouts are Head Coach Don Short; Managers Harold Pemberton and Bobby Brackeen; and Assistant Coach G. A. Glenn.



RESULTS

SCHOOL	WE	THEY
Whitewright	6	12
Mesquite	7	6
Cooper	7	0
Sulphur Springs *	6	26
Honey Grove	7	0
Winnsboro *	0	0
Gilmer *	6	18
Bonham *	12	6
Pittsburg *	13	18
Mt. Vernon *	6	27

FOOTBALL IN ACTION

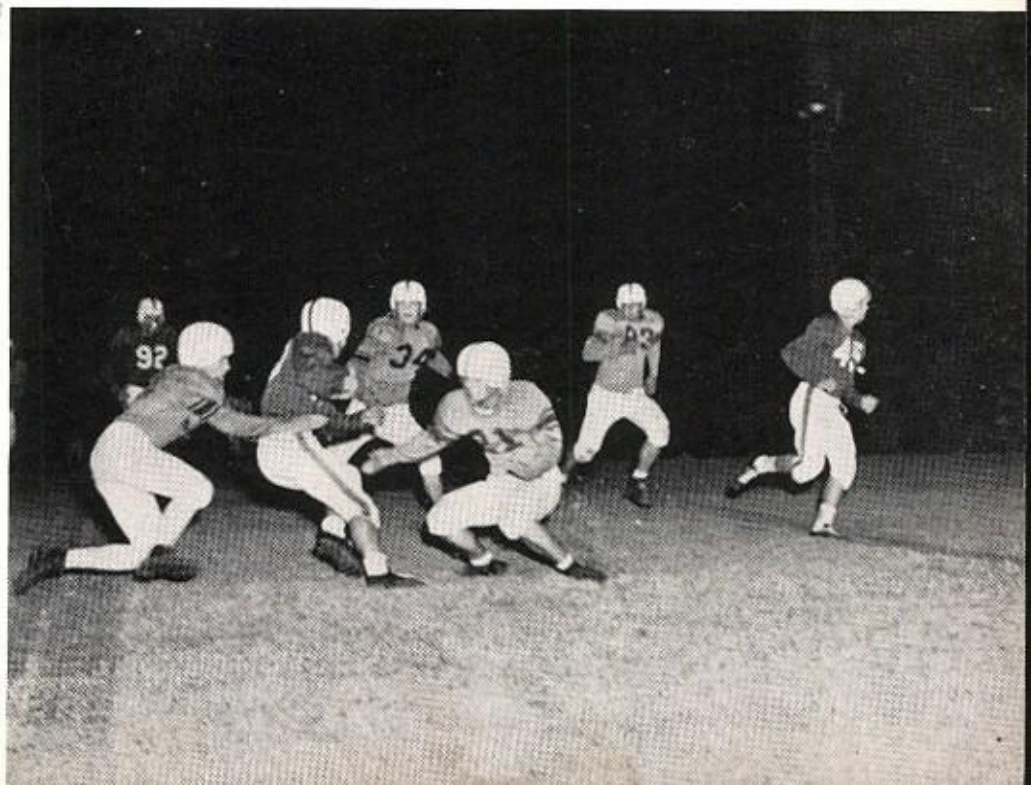


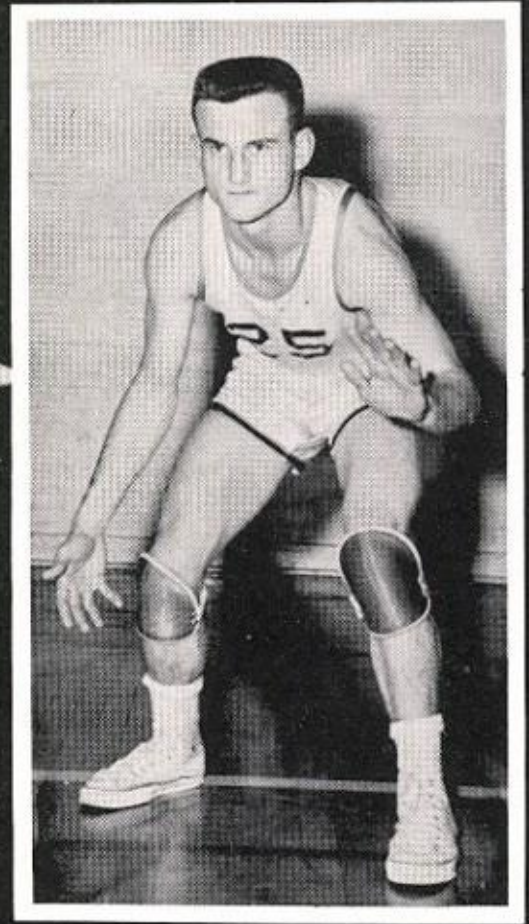
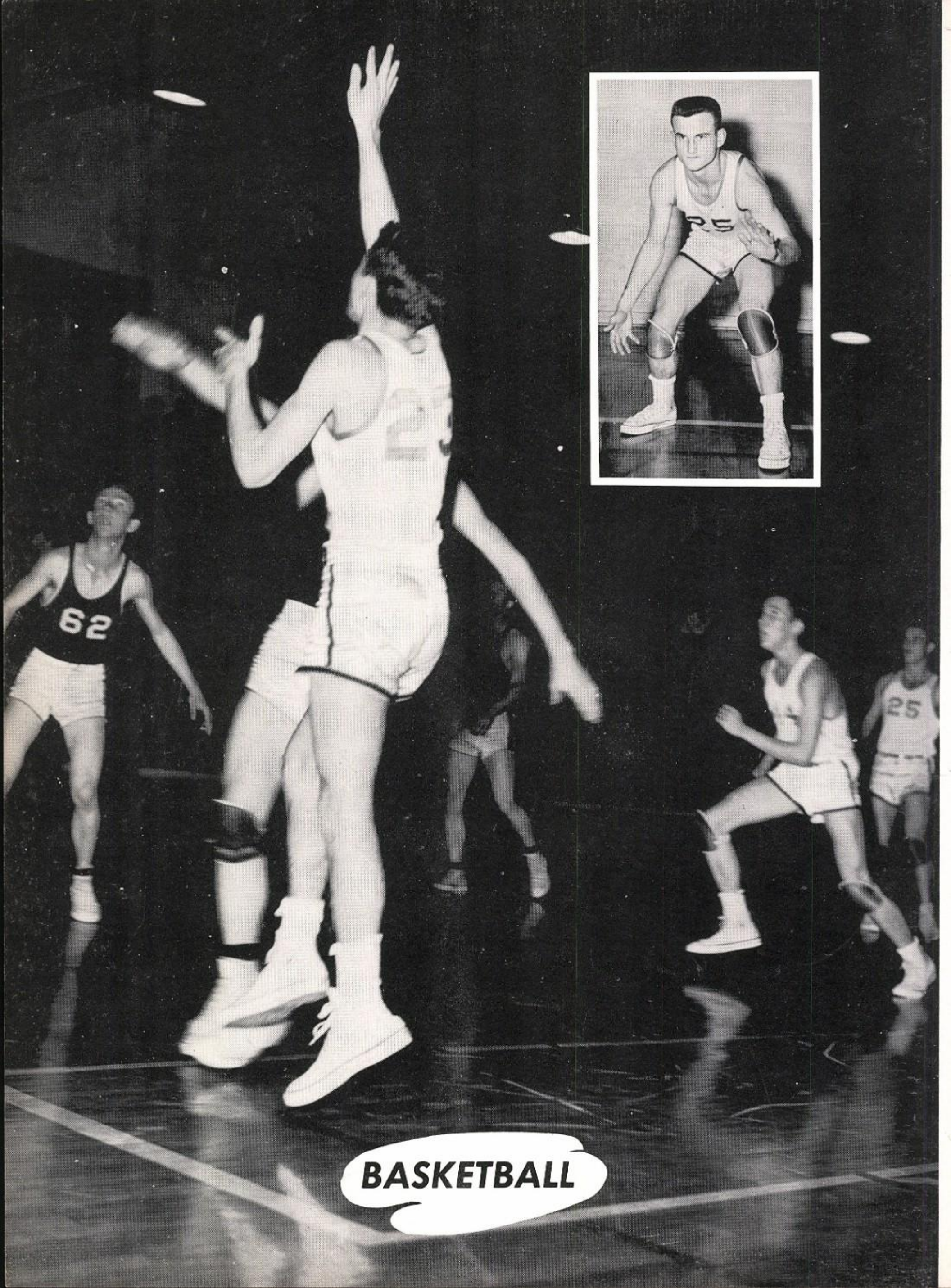
TOUCHDOWN: On a quarterback sneak, Luther Wright plows over from the Cooper 22 yard line to win 7 to 0 September 24 at Cooper. Also in photo are James Merrell (66), Ronny Parris (background), and James Cameron (far left).



Off for a thirty yard gain against Pittsburg is Willie Hill (10). Following closely are Billy Follis (44) and Charles Blanton (83). Pittsburg won in the final seconds of play on a long end run to upset the Tigers homecoming performance.

TRAPPED: A Mt. Vernon player is doomed to fall when Charles Brown (21) and Ronny Parris (32) get hold of him. James Merrell (34) and Charles Blanton (83) come in for assistance. Mt. Vernon's big and burly team whipped the Tigers 27 to 6.





BASKETBALL

1955 TEAM

Clockwise:

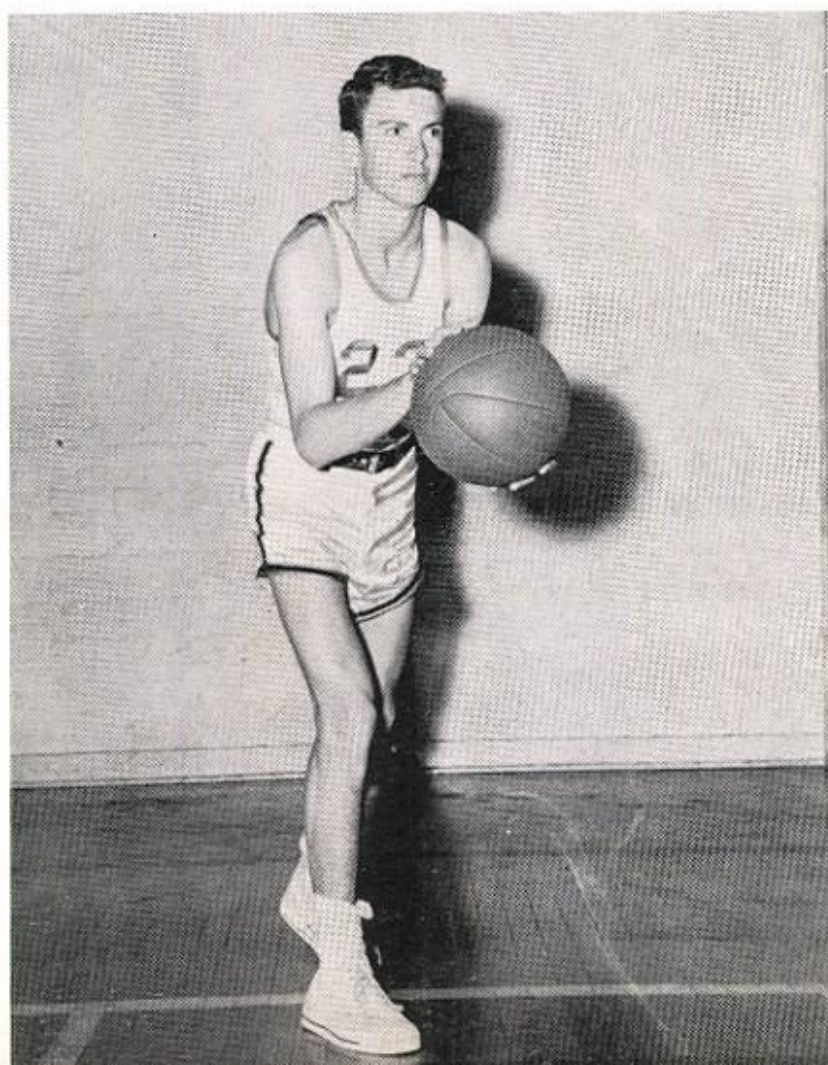
Jerry Hendrix (35)
 Jackie Spring
 Milton McClung
 Earnest Holley
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 Luther Wright
 Harry Simms
 Charles Brown

B A S K E T B A L L

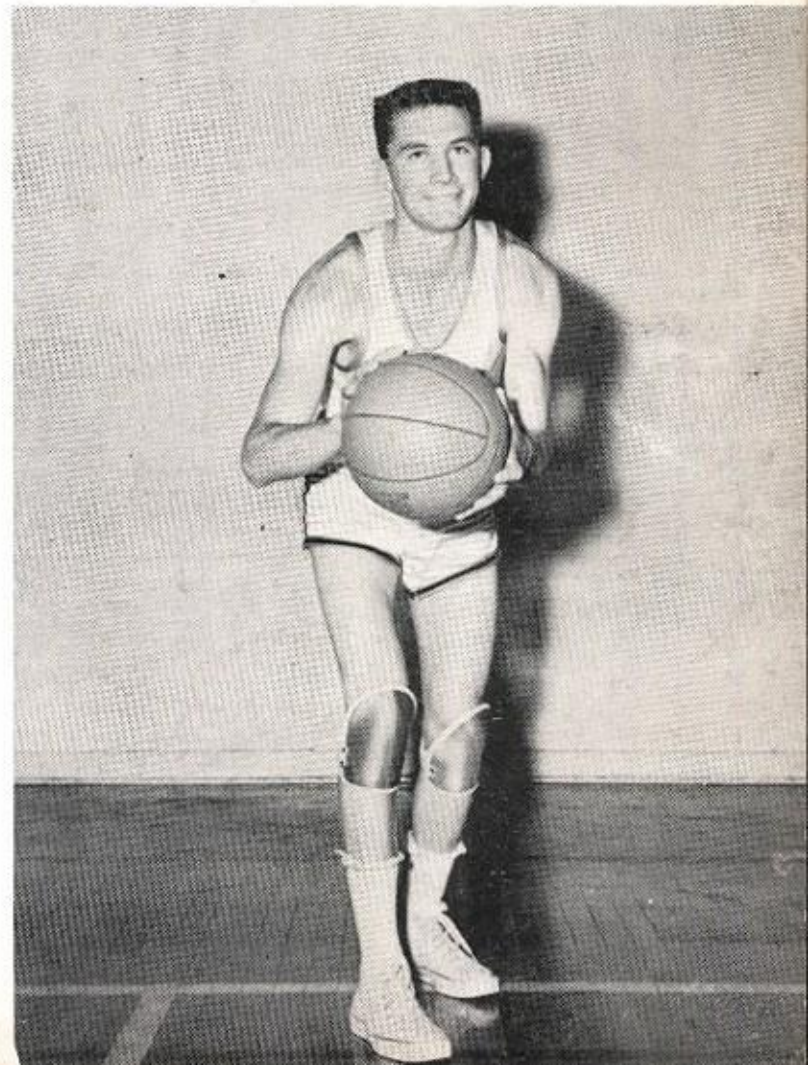
LUTHER WRIGHT,
 team captain of 1955,
 is the only three year
 letterman. He has
 played guard on the
 varsity for two years.

Two year letterman, Bobby Brackeen, has
 played forward for two years and started in
 every varsity game this year.

Earnest Holley, also a two year letterman,
 has played forward for two years on the
 varsity team.

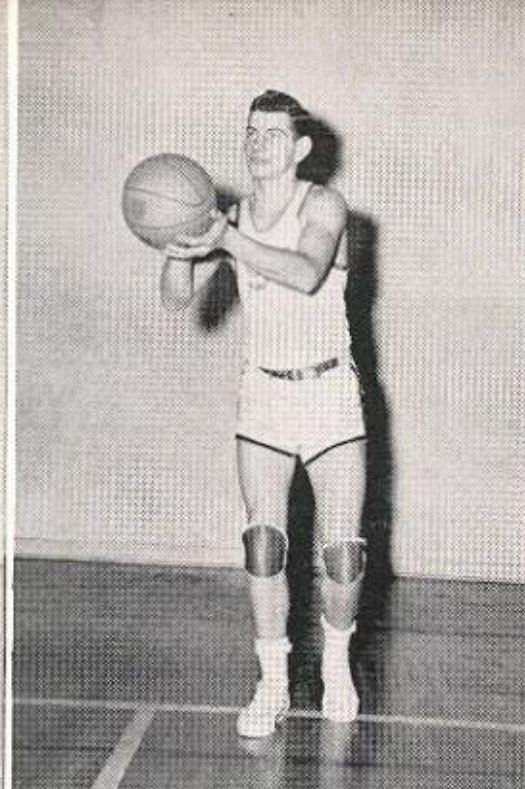


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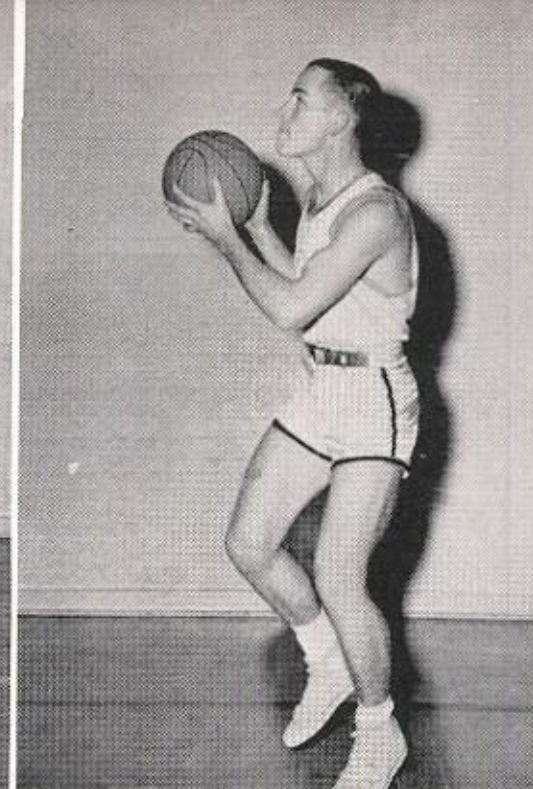
JIMMY BRYANT
Forward



JAMES CAMERON
Center



HARRY SIMMS
Guard



CHARLES BROWN
Guard

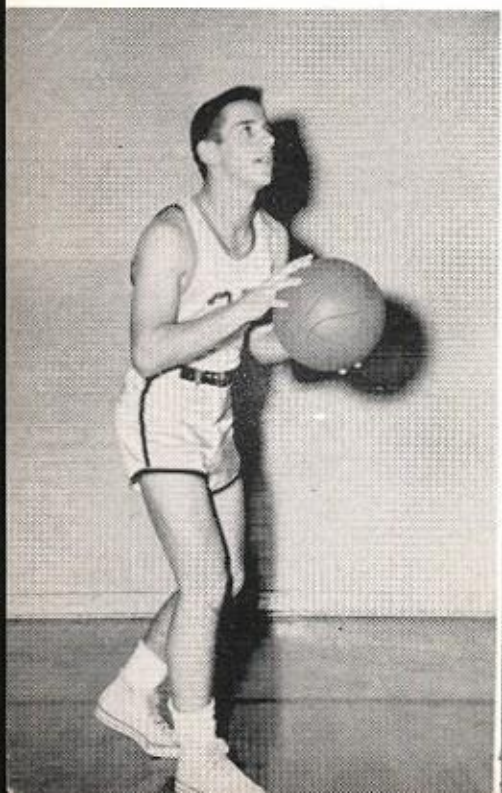


Coach Don Short and student teacher Dave Ingram
discuss basketball tactics.

14AA RESULTS

SCHOOL	First Round		Second Round	
	WE	THEY	WE	THEY
Mt. Vernon	39	70	26	75
Winnsboro	65	35	50	25
Pittsburg	42	61	40	46
Sulphur Springs	43	46	66	35
Gilmer	35	51	40	37
Bonham	33	36	49	57

JERRY HENDRIX
Guard



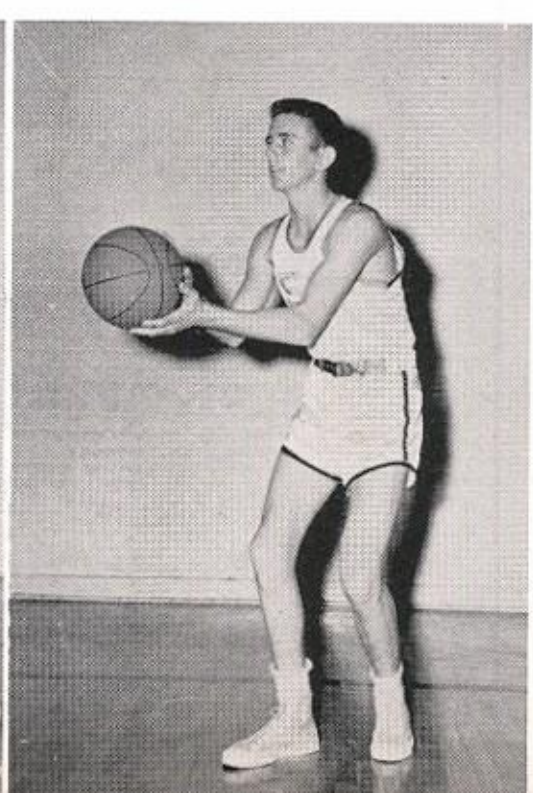
JACKIE SPRING
Forward

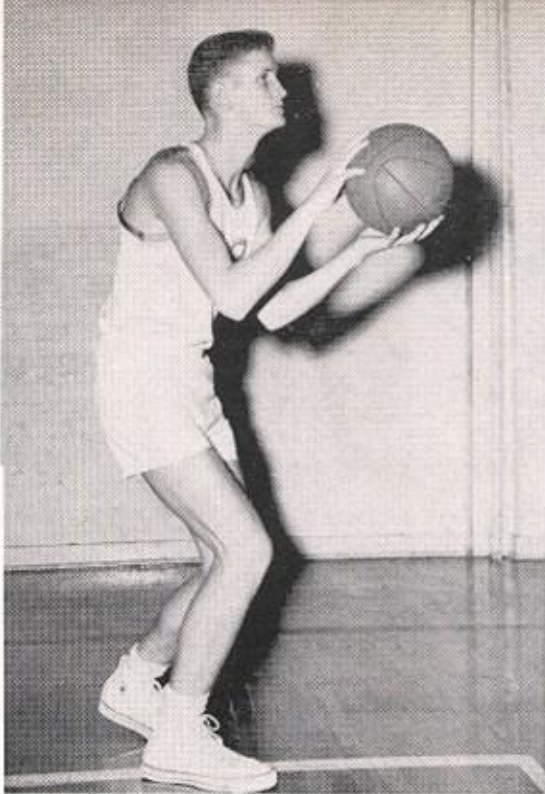


CHARLES BLANTON
Center



LARRY WARREN
Forward

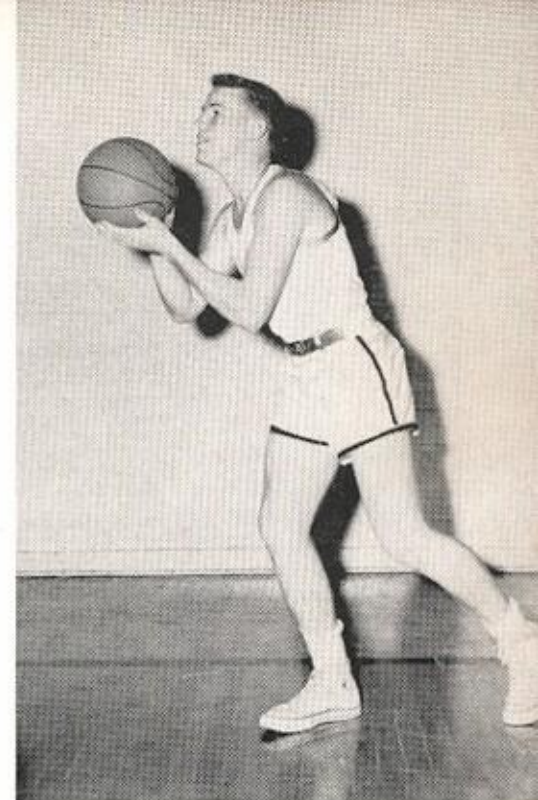




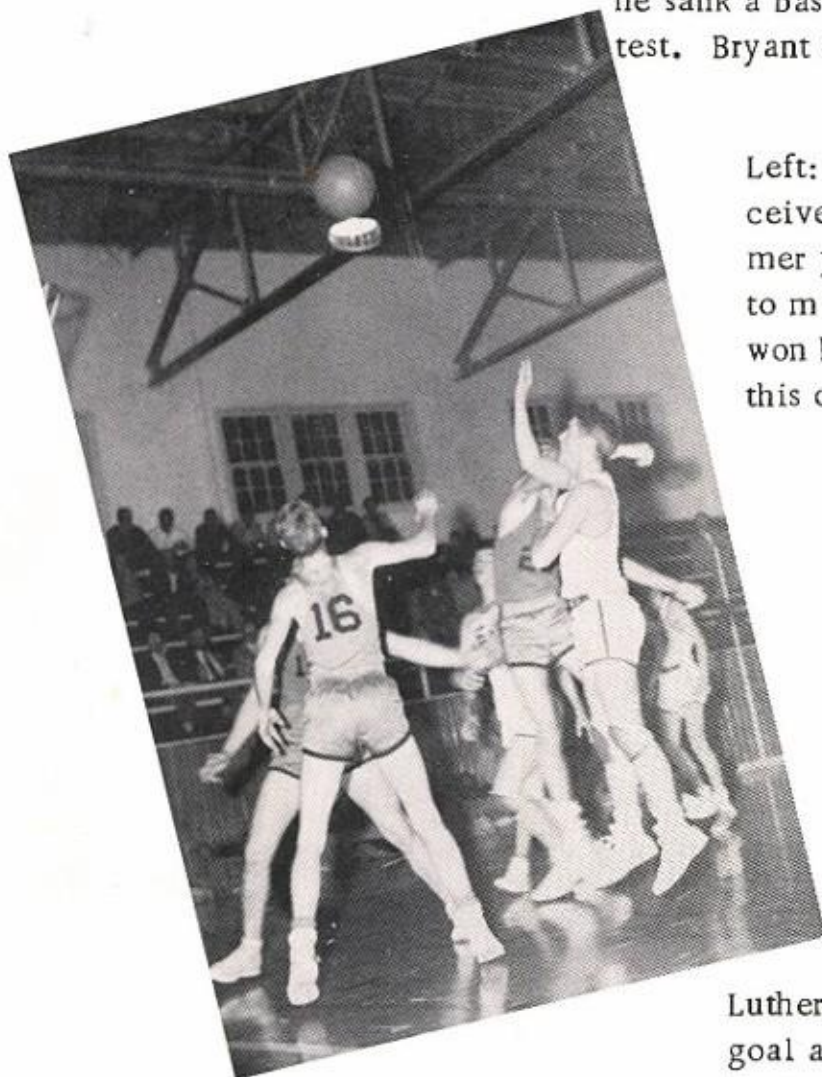
JOHNNY RAINBOLT
Center



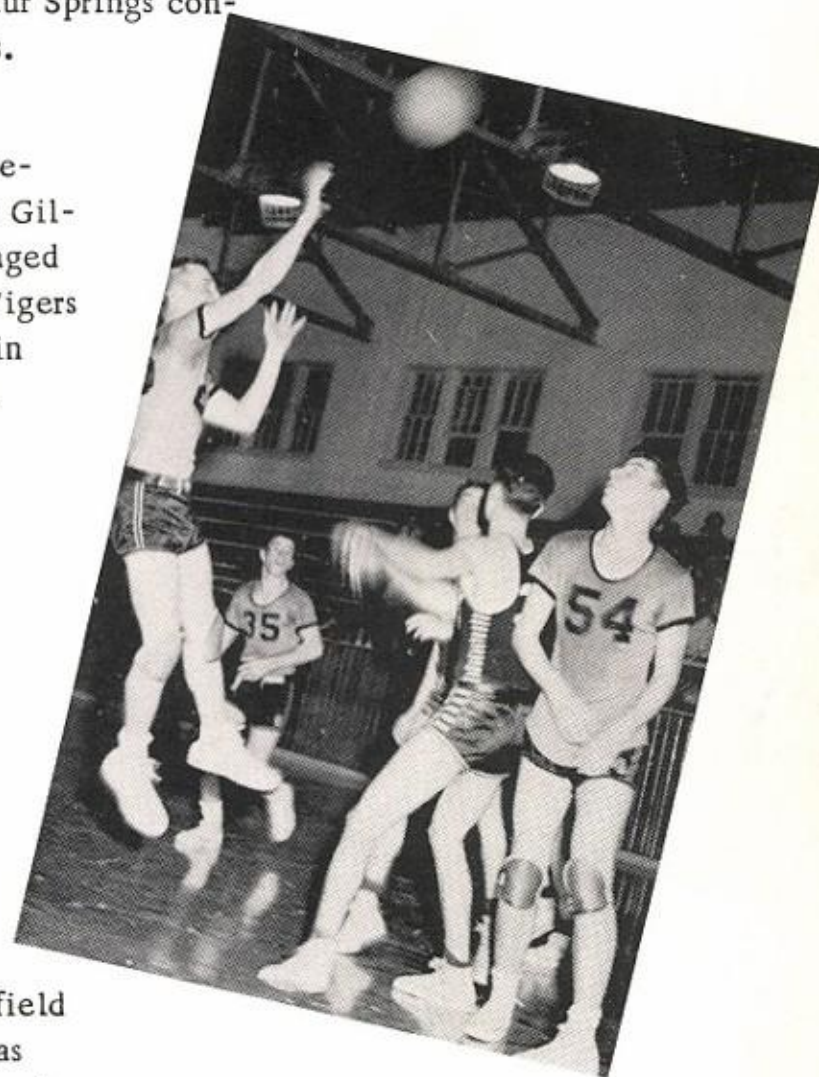
Jimmy Bryant was caught doing a ballet as he sank a basket in the Sulphur Springs contest. Bryant scored 21 points.



MILTON McCLUNG
Guard



Left: Harry Simms received a foul from a Gilmer player but managed to make the shot. Tigers won by three points in this overtime battle.



Luther Wright tries a field goal against Bonham as James Cameron screens for him. Jerry Hendris (35) is seen in the background.



"B" TEAM RESULTS

SCHOOL	First Round		Second Round	
	WE	THEY	WE	THEY
Sulphur Springs	33	35	24	27
Mt. Vernon	27	43	21	36
Winnsboro	46	50	25	31
Pittsburg	30	28	37	38
Gilmer	25	28	17	18
Bonham	23	19	35	34

GYMNASIUM



TRACK

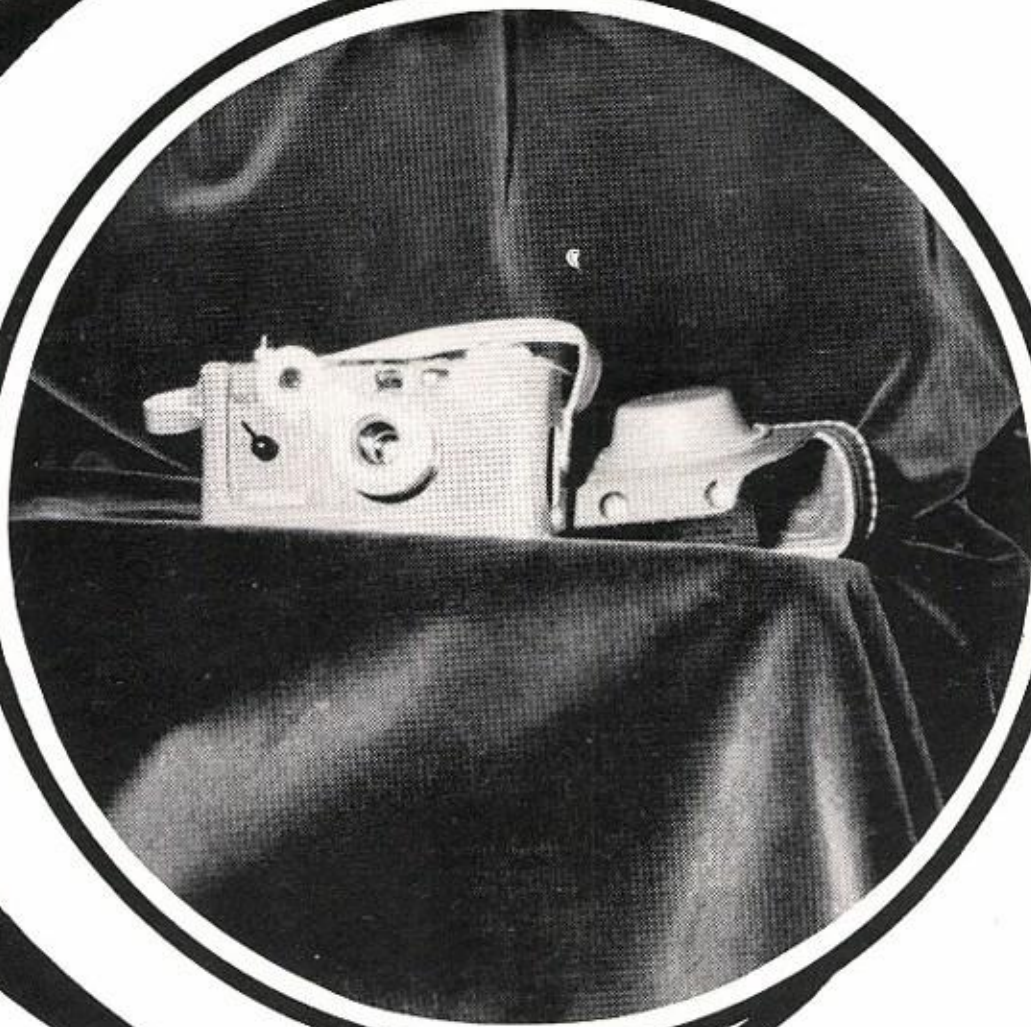
TRACK TEAM pictured from left to right are: Willie Hill, Harold Pemberton, Bob Lemon, Charles Smith, Riger Denton. Second row: Tim Brewer, Vern Williams, Harry Simms, James Merrell, James Moore, Harold Moore. Third row: Coach G.A. Glenn, Monte Woods, Charles Brown, Terry Hanes, James Busby, Earnest Holley, Bubs Talley. Fourth row: John Rainbolt, James Cameron, Ladayne Johnson, Charles Blanton.

CHS NETTERS are pictured from left to right: Ronny Parris, Mary Lou Bankhead, Charlene Short, Don Timberlake, Curtis Shuler. Second row: Bobby Brackeen, Bobby Peek, Sally Ryan, Donna Parris, Helen Bennington. Not pictured are: Benny Brand and Bobby Killingsworth.

TENNIS



SNAPSHOTS



Thanks for the memory



Jimmy Bryant, official, pitched up the jump ball for Merlene Presley and Lynn Kincaid in one of the intramural games between the seniors and the third period Physical Education class. In the background we see Curtis Shuler, the other official, who assisted in calling this rough, hard fought game. Seniors won 29-27.



Again the third period class challenged the seniors in a game. Here we see Carolyn Brown, with the ball, closely guarded by Fay Nell Presley, while Mary Lunceford gets too anxious and steps across the center line. Seniors were able to down their opponents with a score of 31-17.



These couples actively participated in the Student Council sponsored Christmas Dance held December 16.

Commerce FHA Chapter was hostess to the district meet this year.



Receiving line at the DAR Tea, given at the home of Mrs. Curtis Anders, are, from left to right: Carolyn England, Carolyn Brown, Sally Ryan, Joe Saylor and Miss Pauline Rogers seated at the silver tea service.



Announcers Bob Russel, Sandra Graham and Curtis Shuler, listen avidly to the Octettes singing carols on the annual Christmas assembly. Octettes are composed of, from left to right: Ann Langley, Jeannie Fowler, Wanda Cates, Dianne Hawkins, Verta Gentry, Dorothy Campbell, Helen Bennington and Myra Erwin, Pianist.



Joe Lee Goodwin watches approvingly as a local photographer snaps school pictures.



Faculty beauties pose before going into action in the FFA sponsored Faculty-Varsity basketball contest held February 22. Left to right are: Don Short, Leonard Pruitt, Truitt Ingram, G. A. Glenn, Lloyd Wilkins and William Terrell.



Drivers education class is studying a demonstration of split-second application of brakes, under direction of Patrolman H. C. Rowden.





Don Peek and Bang Leberman proved willing chauffeurs for the cheerleaders in the Christmas parade.

Superintendent and Mrs. Leonard Pre-witt with children, Patti and Ricky, pose by their Christmas tree during the holiday season.



Carolyn



Children flock to St. Nick's sleigh, CHS's float, during the Christmas parade.



Eighth graders "bunny-hop" at their Christmas party in the gym.



Officers of the band and Band Parents Club, along with school officials, are pictured at Band Appreciation Banquet.



Student Council officers are seated on the stage patiently waiting their turn to take the oath of office. In the foreground we see President Sally being sworn in by Mr. Ingram.

Mr. Ferguson, the handy man for the cheerleaders and Mrs. Ferguson, stands by supervising the group while the girls proceed to decorate the goal posts before a game.



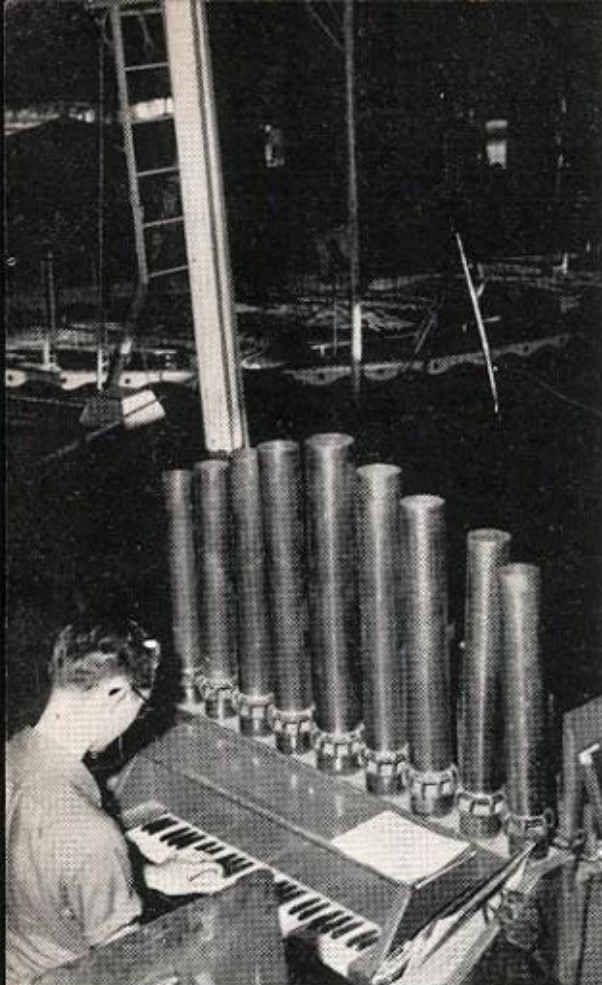
These girls got together for a slumber party to celebrate the thrilling victory over Honey Grove.



The football boys and coaches have gotten together for a group discussion during the noon hour.

The Combo is entertaining the student body during one of the assemblies featuring student talent which is plentiful in Commerce High.

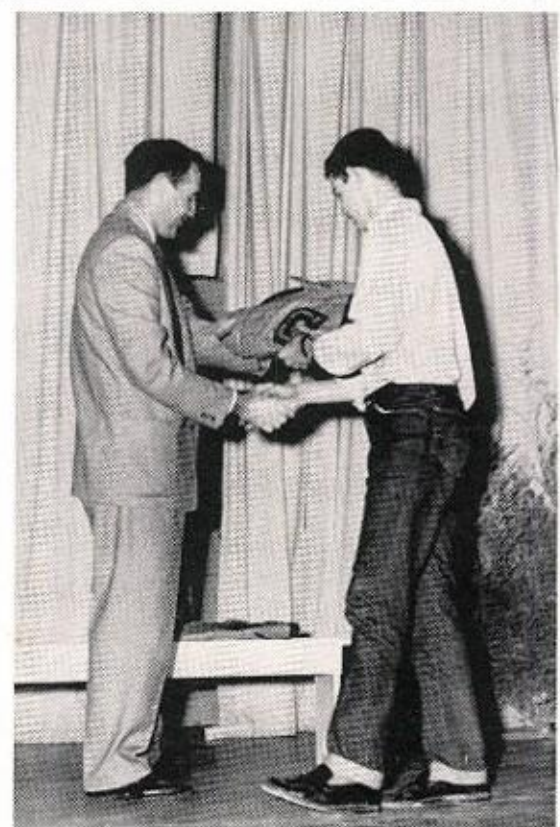




Billy Tom Knight enjoyed playing the Gainesville Community Circus's calliope for advertisement over town. School was dismissed at noon, September 27, for students to attend.



Approximately 100 players, dates, and guests attended the annual Football Banquet December 9 at the First Baptist Church. J. W. Rollins, FTSTC, was guest speaker.



James Cameron receives one of the first letter jackets presented by Principal Ingram.

King and Queen of Hearts Charles Hanes and Gales Jones were entertained by Mrs. Adams' eighth grade students on the assembly February 8. John Heath, Emcee, announced Sandra Graham who gave a Valentine reading.

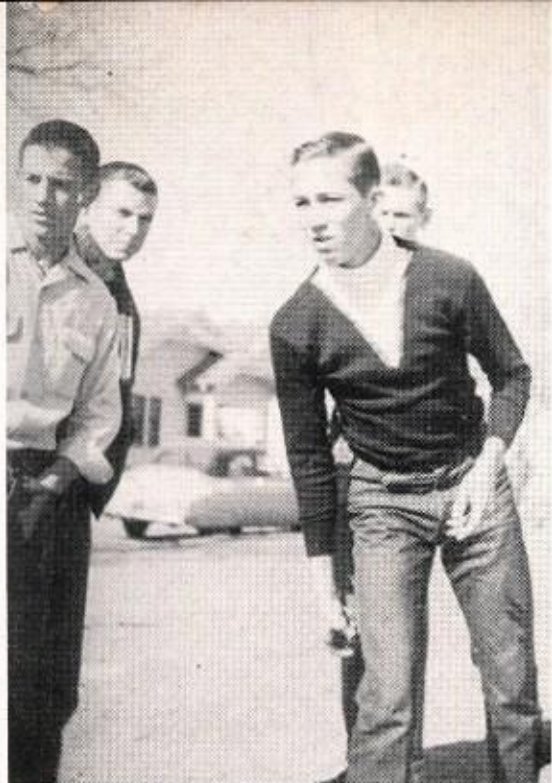


The students act as office assistants by picking up and recording absentee slips, acting as receptionists, answering the phone, and running errands.



Above: Jimmy Hyatt, Bill Russell, Bob Russell, Carlson Mercer, and Bobby Peek, of Troop 27 helped observe Boy Scout week February 6-12. Left: Band Parents Club organized to help sponsor band services and tasks is shown at a regular meeting with Capt. H. M. Anderson presiding.





What wisecrack has Sally Ryan produced now? Mr. Baker, Mr. Ingram and Curtis Shuler seem to be enjoying themselves, anyway.

Jimmy Bryant concentrates deeply on pitching an accurate washer, while Jerry Hendrix, Bobby Brackeen and Benny Brand help him mentally.



Catching their breath on the gym steps after a hard workout are Jane Bickley, Carolyn Brown and Janet Estes.

Miss Kate Morrison was caught mixing dough for corny dogs for the Fall Festival.

The chemistry students are very busy in the new laboratory working on an experiment.





Charles Smith and Johnny Moore are busy on their projects in their shop class.



Mr. James Byrd reviews Negro Novels for students sponsored by the junior class.



Cheerleaders sport their bright orange blouses with black skirts in the pep rallies.

Sharon Anderson and David Alford locate on the globe countries which they have studied in Social Studies.



Mrs. Standefer seems to be proud of her husband's 6 pound black bass.



Seventh graders appear to be having a nice time at their Christmas party on December 17.



To Martha
a very nice cute and
intelligent
person the best
of luck.
James Lee
O'Neal

Best of luck
Tray kind and

To Eddie.
Best of luck
Tray
To a very kind and
sweet girl and
a swell friend.
Patsy Olivia Painter
always
swell

Best wishes
always to a
sweet friend.
E. L. L. L.

so a real swell

(Cairn)
 Martha —
 So a swell gal
 always the best
 of everything your.
 a marvelous gal. with
 a good personality.
 Love you E.
 Sara
 (Kean)

Martha,
I think you are a
very sweet girl. You
have a wonderful
personality I value
your friendship. I
wish you happiness
in all the years to
come.
A friend

a friend
Francis Short

Good bye
in the year
to come year
to come year
to come year

I am much obliged
to you for
the
information
I have
received.

lots of happy
days to the girl
who has a lot of
slumber parties.
Love,
Charles

Lot's of luck
to a swell
little girl.
I hope you will
go far in life.
Harry Warner

To Martha
The Alice
Marble of S.B.
best wishes.
Marybot Adams

Lots of happiness
 always
 Perry Norris

Martha -
To a swell tennis
player. Keeping the
good work and someday
you will win States!

Helen B.

lots of luck

Lots of luck
to swell (?)
tennis player.
Love

Best of luck to
a swell tennis
player.
Marilyn Ruedy

Love
Sharon

Love
Sharon

To a nice and sweet
girl. Lots of luck
through C. H.S.
La Verne

Yes a sister
nice girl all the
such in the world
Martha
sweet
to

Dear Martha -
You are so sweet
give our kind to
everyone.
Dorrell Bledsoe

Martha -

Your a very
wonderful, cute and
popular blonde. May
all your dreams come
true. Best of luck and
happiness. June Cooper

Ma-thor.
So a real cute
and sweet girl
and wishes always
happiness & love

Calson

that.

Did you know I was writing you? I just
did it for you. I was so glad to get your
word to me. I was so glad to hear
you were so happy. I was so glad
to hear you were so happy. I was
so glad to hear you were so happy.
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Mary Ann.

Opa, sweet girl

Martha,
 To know you has been
 a pleasure. You're a
 fine young lady and
 scholar. May you enjoy
 a pleasant summer.
 M. Ingram

To a very cute and sweet
 girl may the best of luck come
 your way.

To a sweet
 girl who's got
 classmate
 Jimmy
 Am. & Chry
 Love Jimmy
 Bryant

Lots of luck to
 a swell friend
 Butch
 Matthews

Martha
 Here's wishing
 you a lot of
 luck in the
 future. You
 are a very cute
 sweet young girl.
 Just stay that and
 you will go far.
 Mike
 Astor

Martha
 To a sweet
 girl. Lots of
 happiness in
 dear old C. H. S.

Martha
 the best of everything
 to one of the sweetest
 girls in C. H. S. with
 a personality that
 will always be
 with you.
 Love
 Jimmy

To a nice
 girl
 lots of luck
 always
 Kenneth Moroney

To a
 pretty good
 girl. You could
 be better if you
 would speak to
 me
 once in a
 while. Always a
 friend mayas
 Mike Zlatos

Lots of
 luck in
 your future
 Wendell M. Jones

Martha

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